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FOR GOOD ROADS

FATHER PLACID ADVOCATES A BOND ISSUE.

WANTS ISSUE OF \$25,000

If This is Voted, He Says, the State Must Furnish \$25,000, and the Burden Would Be Light.

A movement is on foot in Jefferson township, Rev. Fr. Placid being the originator, to have the county call a special election in that township for the purpose of voting on a \$25,000 bond issue for the purpose of good roads. In case the issue would carry, \$25,000 more would be received from the state, and with an amount of \$50,000 Jefferson township would certainly have some good roads.

Since the good roads question is one of the most important ones today, and as other townships ought to follow the example of Jefferson, we print below a letter from Rev. Fr. Placid. The letter, which was published in last week's Clyde Times, follows:

Our roads of today show little improvement over the roads of thirty or forty years ago. Thousands of dollars have been simply wasted on our roads for the last half century. Often, especially in wet seasons, hauling is almost impossible on many of our roads. On account of bad roads people are also very often kept from church, which makes the road question a church question. Good roads would be of the greatest benefit to our farming community. Good roads would allow the farmer to do his hauling at times when it is too wet to work in the field. Good roads would permit him to haul a double load, and to haul it in less time. Good roads would reduce wear and tear in horses, harness and vehicles. Good roads would raise the value of farm lands. Yes, looking at good roads only from the "almighty dollar's" side they are found to pay a handsome dividend each year. Money wisely spent for permanent road work is sure to return. Alas, each year we lack the funds for working our roads properly. You may even double the road money usually on hand in our township treasury and it will not suffice to do any road work that will last, therefore it is money thrown away.

For this reason I proposed in my last road letter to profit by a new law and to request our county court to call in this township a special election for voting \$25,000 road bonds. If, then, this \$25,000 is used for permanent road improvements, the state will have to give us another \$25,000, thereby increasing our road fund to \$50,000. I do not expect that the \$25,000 state money will be available very long, since it places too great a burden upon the state, therefore we ought to hurry. The bonds would run for fifteen years. They would be sold by the county court, but the court would surely respect our wishes about the selling of the bonds. The Maryville Water company has an offer of 4½ per cent on their bonds.

In my last road letter I stated that five mills a year for fifteen years would pay for the bonds, including 5 per cent interest. Since that time I received the opinion of three of the best attorneys that the two railroad companies which do business in this township would have to pay their share towards these bonds. The attorneys state that this is beyond question. Now if we go by the railroad tax of last year and the improvements made by the Chicago Great Western railroad since that time, the railroad share would be about two-fifths of the entire bonds, or \$10,000, leaving to the township \$15,000. This would bring the five mills down to three mills. That means, a man whose property is assessed at \$1,000 would have to pay \$3 a year toward the bonds, and that for fifteen years. That would make less than 6 cents a year for fifteen years on every acre of land in the township, if all the personal property were converted into land, or an average of \$4 a year for every taxpayer in the township. There are in the township about 29,000 acres of land and 334 taxpayers, and the taxable property amounts to about \$560,000. If the bonds are voted the township board is authorized to cut down the poll tax from \$6 to \$2. That would make the bonds easier for about half of our taxpayers than the paying of the new poll tax of \$6. The township board would have the sole right to expend the \$50,000; and it would also belong to the same to choose the roads in the township on which the improvements had to be made, and to determine the nature of the improvement. But after the board had made its choice, the permanent improvements decided upon by the board would have to be carried out upon the plans and under the supervision of the state highway engineer.

The township board will be wise enough, in case that the bonds should carry, to let the voters of the township decide what permanent improvements should be made and on what roads. Permanent improvements, according to law, would be "the surfacing of any road with gravel or rock, or with a well constructed mixture of sand and earthy material, commonly termed a sand clay road, or any grading of the road, and the construction of concrete or masonry culverts, or any and all of the defined improvements." All the money derived from the road bonds would have to be spent in the township, and since the township board alone—that means local men—would have the care of the money, graft or anything of that kind would hardly have to be feared. It would also depend on the township board within what time the improvements would have to be made. We would receive the state's money in proportion to the work done by us. It is due us whenever a piece of road work is finished, according to the plans of the state highway engineer, provided we finish it before the law granting it to us is repealed.

The above should make everything plain to our people. To the best of my knowledge I have stated nothing but facts. Consider these facts, and not idle talk of men. Whilst the bonds would not give us fine boulevards, whilst they would not do away with all our road needs, they would unquestionably vastly improve our roads in a lasting manner. And, as stated above, the improvements would cost the average taxpayer not more than the poll tax, according to the new law, whilst it would give an opportunity to many a poor man to earn a handsome sum by working his team at the improvements or as a day laborer.

In short, there is absolutely no drawback in this proposition. If I knew of any I would tell you. I would also tell you if the taxation resulting from the bonds would be in any way a burden to our people, at least not to the poorer taxpayers. But also the heavy taxpayers will have no just complaints against the bonds when they consider the benefits which our entire community, and especially the larger land owners (they themselves) would derive from the contemplated road improvements, whilst even for them the yearly tax would not amount to a great deal. I would never have undertaken this step if I were not convinced of its great advantages for our township, and I undertook it at this time, for which I have watched for years, because now we will get the state's aid, which may fail us if we delay a year longer.

Once more I invite the legal voters of this township to sign the petition which is to request the county court to call the bond election. You will find a copy of the petition at the hardware store of Proctor & Graham, Clyde, and another at my office. Only twenty signers are necessary. The petition has already forty-seven, some of them heavy taxpayers, and so far none from the monastery. But I would like for every good man of the township to sign it, and to sign it as soon as possible, as we have no time to lose, if we want this matter settled before spring.

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Newly-Weds Return Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howland of Boileau returned to their home Monday morning from a few days' visit with Mr. Howland's brother, W. P. Howland, and family, and with an uncle, W. D. Walker, and family, living east of Maryville. Mrs. Howland was Miss Carrie Peterson of Boileau before her marriage, the 26th of September.

Mrs. C. C. Hilsbeck, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, returned to her home near Orrsburg Monday.

Christmas picture frames. Give orders early, at Crane's.

IS CHOSEN DIRECTOR

PROF. DONALD CADY SELECTED BY BAND BOYS AT A MEETING.

TO CONFER WITH CLUB

For Permanent Band Organization—Boys to Promote and Assist the Ladies' Military Band.

Professor Donald Cady of St. Joseph was chosen director of the newly organized Maryville band and orchestra at a called meeting of that organization held Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cady will arrive in the city Tuesday to meet the Commercial club Tuesday night at its meeting to confer with him in regard to arrangements with the business men of our city for a permanent band organization for our city—one that will meet the needs of our city.

Mr. Cady needs no introduction to the people of Maryville. His ability as a musician and band director is beyond question, and his work the past two years at Columbia and St. Joseph has served to make his services more desirable. During the past summer and fall he has been solo violinist for Guyman's orchestra of St. Joseph.

A unanimous vote was taken by the band Sunday to promote and assist the Ladies' Military band, lately organized, and which is being so successfully conducted and directed by Miss Alma Nash. The boys recognize the possibility of a successful rival in the Ladies' Military band, and it is their desire to assist them in every way possible, because they know that the success of all our musical organizations is a fine advertisement for the musical ability and tendencies of the town. With the work of two bands in such good hands, all public occasions will be sure to be well supplied with the best music in the land, and other towns less favored with musical talent will be depending on Maryville for music.

TO OBSERVE THE DAY.

The Elks Making Preparations for Memorial Day on December 3.

One of the most beautiful customs observed by the Elks is that of annually paying a tribute of love to the memory of the deceased members of the order. The first Sunday in December of each year is set apart for the observance of this custom, and on that day every Elks lodge in the country will be assembled in session of sorrow. Arrangements are being made by the Maryville lodge to observe this day.

DELEGATES TO CONGRESS.

Several From Maryville Selected by Governor Hadley.

Several delegates to the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, which will convene in Kansas City Tuesday, were appointed by Governor Hadley Saturday. From Maryville Governor Hadley appointed W. C. Pierce, W. F. Phares, Dr. F. R. Anthony, F. M. Townsend, H. F. Leet, R. J. Curfman and C. J. Alderman. John Sewell of Burlington Junction was also named as a delegate.

BACK FROM MEETING.

C. A. Hawkins Made a Member of the Executive Committee.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson, Superintendent C. A. Hawkins, Prof. Ira Richardson and Miss Mary Hughes returned Sunday from the State Teachers' association, which met in Hannibal last week. Mr. Hawkins was made a member of the executive committee of the association. The next meeting will be held in Springfield, November 7, 8 and 9, 1912.

Miss Pauline Morgan of Graham, who has been visiting in the city the past week with her nieces, Mrs. J. N. Bryan and Mrs. Phillip Dalze, went to St. Joseph Monday morning to visit another niece, Mrs. John Renner.

MARCELL'S Advertisement

When you get a Marcell Portrait you get one produced entirely by one man, one mind, not dabbled with by half a dozen workmen, each with different ideas. Each print leaving our Studio has my own personal attention.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting.

The M. I. Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Ray of South Main street, instead of with Mrs. Eugene Ogden, south of town, on account of the severe weather.

To Inspect Relief Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk and Mrs. Lena Ruddle went to Graham Saturday, where an inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps at that place was held Saturday night by Mrs. Ruddle and Mrs. Funk. Mr. and Mrs. Funk will remain this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hamm of Graham.

Shakespeareans Will Meet.

The Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club will meet with Mrs. Edwin G. Orear Tuesday afternoon at her home, 303 North Vine street. Mrs. M. G. Tate will lead the study in place of Mrs. W. C. Pierce, who is in Pasadena, Cal., for the winter. Mrs. D. J. Thomas will have charge of current events.

Her Fourteenth Birthday.

Mrs. M. A. Lewis, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Emery Airy, gave a dinner Sunday to observe the fourteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter and sister, Miss Mary. The guests were Miss Mary's chum, Miss Vella Booth, and Miss Laura Craig, Miss Edna Dietz and Miss Selma Young, who are members of the Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church of which the honor guest is a member.

Returned From House Party.

Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole returned Saturday night from Chillicothe, where she was a guest at a house party at the New Leeper hotel, given by Mrs. Bertrand T. Clark, wife of the New Leeper's host. Two other guests were Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, who remained for a longer visit, and Mrs. John Dempsey, formerly of Maryville. Mrs. Clark entertained several times informally for her guests, and they attended several delightful social affairs while her guests.

Elks to Give 'Possum Supper.

The Elks will give on Thursday evening a dinner in their club rooms, to which all members and their families and lady friends are invited. After the dinner, cards and dominoes will be played. The dinner is to begin at 8 o'clock. Several possums have been engaged and will be served that night. The Elks are preparing a series of entertainments for the winter. As yet the program is not complete, but next week a stag smoker will be given, and on Thanksgiving evening, November 30, a dance will be given.

Announce Daughter's Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Cole made formal announcement this week of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jessie M. Cole, to Mr. William O. Bowers of Bedford, Ia. The date of the wedding is not yet decided upon, but will take place some time within the coming three weeks. The announcement does not come as a surprise to the friends and relatives of the bride and groom-to-be. Mr. Bowers is the son of Mr. E. L. Bowers of near Bedford, Ia. Mr. Bowers and Miss Cole will be at their home, eight miles north of Bedford, Ia., after January 1st.

Gave Her Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Miss Juanita Neal gave her a pleasant surprise party Friday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. G. Harbison, last Friday evening. Progressive dominoes were played. The tally cards were in the form and color of the genuine Thanksgiving turkey. After the games refreshments were served by Mrs. Harbison and her sister, Miss Bertha Garton. Those present were Misses Leona Pierpoint, Anita Hill, Gladys Morehouse, Mary Stundon, Mary Brady, Mary Gram, Lavisa Swinford, Maud Helpley, Bertha Garton, Juanita Neal, J. P. Neal, Mrs. Del Davison, Fred Harbison and the hostess.

Met With Mrs. Herndon.

The Young Woman's Missionary society of the First M. E. church held a delightful meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Herndon, when Mrs. Jesse Miller, Mrs. L. L. Maier and Mrs. Herndon were the hostesses. The study for the afternoon, "Hindooism," was led by Miss Dena Hartman. The rest of the program were papers on "Hindooism" by Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, "The Caste

System" by Miss Golda Airy, "Its Effects on Women" by Mrs. J. C. Combs, "The Character of Its God" by Mrs. Leslie Dean, "Points of Contact and Contrast With Christianity" by Miss Hartman. A letter from a Hindoo woman was read by the society's president, Miss Maud Clark. A piano number by Miss Lucille Airy closed the program. During the social hour the hostess served refreshments that would have been suitable for a grand party, and their twenty or more guests were delighted with the afternoon, although the weather was so disagreeable as to threaten to interfere with the success of the meeting. Mrs. H. P. Swinehart and Mrs. Eldon Lloyd were the visitors.

Kelley-Jones.

An attractive affair was the wedding of Miss Daisy M. Jones and Mr. Alva S. Kelley, which was performed Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones, Rev. C. J. Miller of the First Christian church officiating. The beautiful ring ceremony was used. Green and white was the pretty color scheme carried out in the living room and the parlor. In the parlor were ferns, in front of which the bride and groom stood. To the strains of the wedding march from "Lohengrin," played by Miss Lottie Perrin, they came into the parlor.

The bride is a very charming girl. Her gown was white marquisette over white charmesse satin. The marquisette was caught up at the side of the skirt with a seed pearl ornament. The waist was draped in the marquisette and caught up in the front with three daisies or seed pearls. The bodice was also elaborately trimmed with crystal fringe and hand embroidered with crystal beads. Her sleeves were short and she wore long white gloves. She carried a large bouquet of bride's roses tied with white tulle. In her hair she wore a white malign bow. The groom was dressed in a dark blue serge suit.

After the wedding a dainty dinner was served. The color scheme of green and white being carried out.

The guests were Rev. Claude J. Miller and Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Jennie Thompson and daughter Miss Frankie, Mr. John R. Jones, the brother of the bride; Mr. Morris Kelley, a brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones, parents of the bride; Miss Lottie Perrin and Miss June E. Jones. The bride's brother in Nebraska did not get here for the wedding.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones. She is a very charming girl and is admired by her friends. She will be missed by her friends in school.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Sarah E. Kelley. He is in the employ of Sawyers & Airy, grocers. He is a very nice young man and has a host of friends who wish them a long life of happiness.

The gifts to the bride and groom were many and beautiful. They have not decided what they will do. They will be at home for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones.

WANTED AT CANEY, KAN.

Harry Johnson Arrested and Will Be Taken There on a Grand Larceny Charge.

John Wallace received a letter Monday with a warrant from the chief of police at Caney, Kan., for the arrest of Harry Johnson, a local tailor. Johnson is wanted in that city on a charge of grand larceny and will be taken there probably Tuesday, as the chief of police of Caney will arrive in Maryville Tuesday noon. Johnson is favorably known in police circles, and it was only a few months ago that he attempted to take his life.

HOLIDAY AT NORMAL.

No School Monday, as Heater Pipes Froze and Then Burst.

An unexpected holiday was granted the Normal students Monday, as a result of the installation of the new boiler in the heating plant. The water pipes in the plant were exposed to the cold, as the entire north side of the boiler room has been removed in order to put in the new boiler. The water in the pipes froze and caused them to burst. The pipes are being repaired and school work will be resumed Tuesday.

Returned to Pickering.

Miss Lanta Moberly and her niece, Miss Esther Pfeiffer, both of whom have been patients at St. Francis hospital, where they underwent surgical operations for appendicitis, returned to their homes at Pickering Monday. Miss Moberly had been a patient at the hospital for nearly two months.

CONVENED MONDAY

REGULAR NOVEMBER TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION.

M'CRERY WAS SENTENCED

To Six Months in Jail for Assaulting Phillip Kaufman of Conception Junction.

The regular November term of circuit court convened Monday morning with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. The docket was gone over first by Judge Ellison and the attorneys and the various entries made in several cases.

The parole docket was taken up Monday. Loren L. Moore, paroled, was discharged upon payment of costs. As to the paroles of Levi Kelley, Ed Warren and Tom McMullin, their paroles were continued. Several paroles will probably be revoked by Judge Ellison as soon as more news as to the conduct of the parties are received.

Several cases were dismissed. They were as follows: Estell Griffey vs. John Lester Griffey, divorce, plaintiff dismisses suit; S. H. Williams, collector, vs. W. J. Leeper, back tax, and S. H. Williams, collector vs. Kimball Lumber company, back tax, both cases were dismissed, and the state ex rel B. F. Carson and C. V. Carson vs. A. M. Bright, action on bond, and H. H. Libbee & Co., vs. Charles Roof, on account, were also dismissed.

H. H. McCreery, who lives near Conception Junction, pleaded guilty to the charge of common assault and was sentenced to six months in the county jail. Phillip Kaufman of the Junction was the complaining witness, and it is charged that McCreery beat Kaufman up over a bill that he owed Kaufman, who was making efforts to collect it. McCreery is 26 years old and is married and has a family of two children. He has been working near the Junction since last March.

The equity docket is to be taken up Tuesday.

CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY.

Regular Meeting of Commercial Club—Several Matters to Be Taken Up.

The Commercial club will meet Tuesday evening in their club rooms at 7:30 o'clock, at which time a smoker and the regular business of the club will be taken up. Several matters are to be taken up, and it is urged that every member attend.

One of the propositions taken up by the club will be in regard to the re-organization of the Maryville band, and to go over a proposition submitted by Donald Cady of St. Joseph to take charge of the work. The band boys decided Sunday to accept Mr. Cady's proposition, and if they have the backing of the Commercial club they will go ahead at once on organizing a band.

IT WAS 2 ABOVE.

Sunday Morning the Thermometer Showed That—Warmer Weather.

The cold wave, accompanied by a high wind, which arrived here Saturday afternoon made many people suffer, as no severe cold wave at this time was expected, and caught them unprepared. Sunday morning the thermometer registered 2 above zero. On Monday morning the government thermometer showed 17 above zero.

The cold weather will not last long. It was a little warmer today, and for Tuesday a marked rise in the mercury is predicted.

AT 11 MINUTES PAST 11.

A Deed Was Recorded on Saturday Which Was Written 11-11-11.

A deed was recorded in Recorder J. Arthur Wray's office Saturday morning at 11 minutes past 11 o'clock. Saturday was the 11th day of the 11th month of the 11th year, and the deed was recorded at 11 minutes past 11 o'clock, it brought about a queer combination of figures.

The Weather

Increasing cloudiness tonight Tuesday; rising temperature.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free. Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert opticians. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

When you think of handkerchiefs think of HOTCHKIN'S VARIETY STORE
106 South Main St.
Maryville, Mo.

We have a large fine large assortment which we bought direct from the manufacturer. We bought these right and we are going to sell them the same way.

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Guests From Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tramp and son and daughter of Creston, Ia., came to Maryville Saturday evening and visited until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Young and family of North Buchanan street. Mr. Tramp is a brick and tile manufacturer of Creston. The visitors accompanied Mr. Young home Saturday evening for his usual Sunday visit with his family. Mr. Young is introducing the new silo in southeastern Iowa manufactured by Borrusch Brothers of this city.

Spent Sunday With Sister.

J. B. McIntyre and his daughter, Miss Martha McIntyre, of St. Joseph visited in Maryville over Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Edward L. Ferritor, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey of Lawn avenue went to Savannah Saturday evening to visit Mrs. Bailey's brother, Milton Wachtel. On their way home they will stop at Rosendale for a visit with two other of Mrs. Bailey's brothers, John M. and Thomas Wachtel.

Mr. J. E. Paulette and Miss Elsie McKenzie went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to visit over Sunday with Mr. Paulette's mother, Mrs. W. H. Paulette.

Miss Ada Hudson went to her home, near Arkoe, Saturday evening to visit some folks.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Spent Day With Daughters.
Isaac Coler of Barnard came to Maryville Monday morning to accompany his daughters, Misses Eunice and Carrie Coler, to Maryville. The young ladies, who are State Normal students, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday. As there was no school Monday, on account of deficient heat at the Normal building, Mr. Coler remained for the day as the guest of his daughters.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. Thomas Cook and her mother, Mrs. Adkins, of Barnard, were in Maryville Monday on their way to Shenandoah to visit Mrs. Cook's son, R. E. Cook, and family. Mr. Cook is manager of the Burlington railway's interests at Shenandoah.

Visited Family in Maryville.

Mr. John Campbell of Kansas City spent Sunday in Maryville with Mrs. Campbell and their daughter, Miss Mary, who are the guests of his sisters, Mrs. Edward F. Wolfert and Mrs. George B. Baker.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin J. Bartram and son returned Monday from Tecumseh, Neb., where they were called last week by the death of Mrs. Bartram's brother, William Earlewine.

U. S. Wright returned Monday noon from a week's visit at Douglas, Kan., with his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Conklin, and her husband.

Miss Alice Orcutt, principal of the Bolckow high school, spent Sunday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orcutt.

Box Social.

Given by the Ladies' Military band and Company F, to be held in the armory, above the Tribune, on Tuesday evening, November 21.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Mrs. Henry Baker and Miss Florence Thompson of St. Joseph were Maryville business visitors Monday.

Bring your stock to the mid-month sale, Nov. 18th. The buyers will be there.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Card Party for the Knights.

The ladies of the Knights of Columbus will give a card party at the Knights' hall Tuesday night, the proceeds to be used for the purpose of getting new drapings for the hall. The ladies in charge of the affair are Mrs. J. B. Cummins, Mrs. Fred Diss and Mr. S. Conrad Yehle.

P. E. O. Meeting.

Members of the P. E. O. chapter met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. C. Allender for their regular meeting. At the business session preceding the program the members voted to hold a market on Saturday, Nov. 18, the place to be announced later. The lesson, "France," was led by Mrs. Allender, who treated the subject from the standpoint of its commercial and social life. Mrs. M. G. Tate talked of French women and art. Mrs. J. Wesley Jones of Loveland, Col., who is visiting the J. F. Montgomery and Milton Rittenour families, was a visitor at the meeting. In two weeks the chapter will meet with Mrs. O. C. Hanna, when Miss Mary Q. Evans will assist as hostess.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—25,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.
Hogs—29,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.65. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.
Sheep—35,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—14,000. Market strong.
Hogs—6,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.47.
Sheep—10,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong.
Hogs—2,500. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.50.
Sheep—1,500. Market 10c higher.

A New Editor at Tribune.

Roy Godsey is the new city editor of the Tribune, commencing work Monday. Mr. Godsey succeeds O. R. Geyer who will leave soon for Tulsa, Okla., where he has a fine position. Mr. Godsey has had much experience in newspaper work.

Will Leave for Vermont.

Mrs. Jane McFarlane of Waterbury, Vt., who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Rebecca Brink of this city, Mrs. James Lyle of Graham and Mrs. Nancy B. Moore of near Arkoe, will leave Monday night for her home. Mrs. McFarlane has been visiting her sisters and their families for the past seven weeks.

What do you want to sell in Hosmer's mid-month stock sale, Nov. 18th.

Small Fire at Morrison Home.

The fire company was called Monday afternoon to Dr. J. B. Morrison's home, on South Main street, now occupied by Mr. Vincent of the skating rink. The fire caught in the basement, where there were several tons of coal. Not much damage was done except the smoke in the house.

Horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and all kinds at Hosmer's sale, Nov. 18th.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Jesse Anderson, a Kansas City attorney, arrived in Maryville Monday.

CATARH DOCTOR.

You Can Get the Best One in the World for \$1.00.

Go to the Orear-Henry Drug Co. today. Say "I want a Hyomei outfit," take it home with you, open and pour a few drops of Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me) into the little hard rubber inhaler.

Then breathe pleasant soothing, healing, germ killing Hyomei over the raw, inflamed, germ ridden membrane for a few minutes and relief is immediate.

Stuffed up head will vanish. Keep up the treatment four or five times a day for a few days and hawking, spitting and forming of mucus in the nose and throat will cease.

Hyomei is guaranteed to end catarrh, coughs, colds, croup, asthma, catarrhal deafness, or money back. Complete outfit \$1.00, subsequent bottles if needed, 50 cents, at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Mrs. C. C. Moon and son visited over Sunday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. S. E. Moos, and her niece, Mrs. Ed Bratcher.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

'BLUFF' AMONG THE NEGROES

Little Story of a Quarrel That Illustrates Their Love of Flourish and Pose.

Love of bluff is a curious characteristic of the negro. Sometimes the deadly razor becomes active with a vengeance, but countless other times it is merely flourished with frightful threats and boasts of its slashing qualities. These are vanity poses.

One night recently I saw a striking living picture of this kind. I was one of a crowd which got off an early morning elevated train. A negro quarrel was in progress in front of a house on the opposite side of the street and all stopped to watch it. One husky black was about to apply an axe to the cranium of a smaller negro, when an ally of the lesser one threatened the husky individual with a blackjack from behind. Thus it stood—if the axe fell on one skull the blackjack would descend on another. Neither participant seemed willing to "start anything." There was the tableau and it simply died away like a moving picture climax on the screen.

Evidently this scene of inaction overtaxed the patience of the dusky spectators, for they broke the lull by tossing beer bottles at one another. This, too, was without ginger. Just as I stepped behind a telegraph pole to avoid the flying glass, an excited old darkey appeared at the door and fired a shotgun over the heads of the disputants.

A peaceful citizen next to me was taken to the hospital and I limped home with bird shot in my legs. The old man's bluff was effective and the careful blacks dispersed, seeking their beds to dream of flocks of chickens and trainloads of watermelons.

WHEN CARVING WAS AN ART

In Old Days the Slicing Was Suited to the Importance of the Guest.

Carving was once a serious thing. The sixteenth century carver was a professional. He had to make the joint fit the guest. The size of his slices was the thing. Then he had to know his guests and cut accordingly.

A lord, for instance, at the table, and a pike was dished up whole. Smaller fry, and the pike came on in slices. The same procedure with pig. The rank of the diners decided whether it should appear at table in gold leaf or naked, whole or sliced. With bread, too, there was a difference.

New or three days old baked was at the discretion of the carver as he sized up the visitors. And as for the apportioning of the tidbits according to precedence there was no end. The old-time carver in fact was born and then made.

The eighteenth century was the day of the carving master. He taught hostesses the art. Lady Mary Montagu, for instance, took three lessons a week "that she might be perfect on her father's public days, when, in order to perform her functions without interruptions, she was forced to eat her own dinner alone an hour or two beforehand."

The hostess carved while the host "pushed the bottle." She did more. She urged the guests to eat more and more, and woe to her if she neglected a guest. The diner who was forced to help himself to a slice of anything nearly choked. These diners of the eighteenth century liked being pressed. And the hostess welcomed the end of the feast.—London Chronicle.

Arabia's Laughing Plant.

The laughing plant is not a flower that laughs, but one that creates laughter, if the printed accounts of travelers can be believed, says an English paper. It grows in Arabia and is called the laughing plant because the seeds produce effects like those caused by laughing gas. The flowers are of a bright yellow, and the seed pods are soft and woolly, while the seeds resemble small black beans. Only two or three grow in a pod. The natives dry and pulverize them, and the powder, taken in small doses, makes the soberest person behave like a circus clown or a madman, for he will dance, sing and laugh most boisterously and cut the most fantastic capers and be in an uproarously ridiculous condition for about an hour. When the excitement ceases the exhausted exhibitor of these antics falls asleep, and when he awakens he has not the slightest remembrance of his frisky doings.

King Corn.

Corn, the gift of the new world to the old, is the king of grains. Each year some new use is found for it. Even after everything, seemingly, has been extracted from it there is left a valuable residuum known as corn oil cake, which is sold here and abroad and is used in the fattening of sheep and other animals. Nearly 50,000,000 pounds of this material are annually shipped to Great Britain and Germany and there used by farmers, who find it cheaper than materials of a similar nature which they can grow at home.

Competition.

"You still assert that competition is the life of trade?"
"Oh, yes," said Mr. Dustin Stax. "But we don't care to compete for a chance to sell our goods. What we want is to find people with their money out competing for the privilege of buying them."

THINK THIS OVER.

This Offer Should Gain the Confidence of the Most Skeptical.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorless, and tasteless; very pronounced, gentle, and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them only at our store. 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Mrs. Kate Thompson went to Kansas City Monday morning to spend several weeks with her son, Ed Thompson and family.

Mrs. Will Wendle and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Chambers of Arkoe were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

CURED TO STAY CURED.

How a Maryville Citizen Found Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—From urinary disorders—From any disease of the kidneys, Be cured to stay cured.

Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures. Maryville people testify.

Here's one case of it:

I. M. Woods, East Jenkins street, Maryville, Mo., says: "For some time kidney trouble had been lurking in my system, and although it did not bother me to any extent, I could see that the attacks were becoming more frequent and severe. Finally my kidneys became so badly disordered that I was obliged to seek relief. The kidney secretions were unnatural and so irregular in passage as to annoy me greatly. I also had a pain in my back and could hardly stoop. Dizzy spells and headaches were common, and I was in a miserable condition when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills. I began their use, and after I had taken the contents of three boxes I was free from kidney trouble."—(Statement given in 1901.)

Time Is the Test.

On September 19, 1908, Mr. Wood added to the above: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills effected in my case several years ago has been permanent. I am glad to again recommend this splendid remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn & Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

If you want a paper delivered ask the news boy or call at E. W. Friend's Barber Shop--The News Stand. Roy Godsey, Prop.

NOVEMBER 13, 1911.

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Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers.)

Not good after Thursday, November

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Burns Brothers
100 West Third St.

Specials for Tuesday and Wednesday at

TOWNSEND'S

Treat yourself to the best. Buy at the store where High Quality and Moderate Prices prevail.

Quart size cans LEMON CLING PEACHES sliced or halves, only 20c

Quart cans NEW VIRGINIA SWEET POTATOES—

2 cans 25c
4 cans 45c
12 cans \$1.25

SWEET MIXED, PLAIN SOUR, PLAIN SWEET PICKLES or CHOW CHOW in Mason quart jars for... 20c

Libby's finest JAM or PRESERVES, pure fruit and cane sugar, 40c jars for 25c

RASPBERRY, STRAWBERRY or BLACKBERRY COMPOUND PRESERVES, Mason quart jars, for... 20c

All kinds of FANCY CHEESE, FRESH NUTS, DATES and FIGS.

New Santa Clara PRUNES, medium size, 12 lbs for \$1.00; large size, 9 lbs for \$1.00; extra mammoth, 2 lbs for 35c

Choice HOME DRIED APPLES, 10 lbs

Choice EVAPORATED APPLES, 10 lbs

Any of the following CANNED GOODS, 2 cans for 15c; 12 cans for 85c; 24 cans for \$1.65.

2 lbs extra standard Sugar Corn.
2 lbs Van Camp's Kidney Beans.
2 lbs Green String Beans.
2 lbs choice Tomatoes.
3-lb cans best Pumpkin.
3-lb can best Kraut.
3-lb can Hominy.

Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 7 lbs for 25c

Gallon jugs new TOMATO CATSUP for 75c

Promedary brand DATES, 15c pkgs for 11c

SUGARED DATES, walnut stuffed, per lb 20c

Extra mammoth CELERY, 2 for... 25c

JUMBO CELERY 10c

3 pkgs SEEDLESS RAISINS 25c

3 pkgs SEEDED RAISINS 25c

3 pkgs RECLEANED CURRANTS 25c

Fancy SUGAR CURED BACON, 10 lbs 17c

Choice SMOKED BACON, per lb... 15c

Good CAROLINA RICE, 5 lbs for... 25c

Extra fancy HEAD RICE, 4 lbs for 25c

32-oz jar TOP MINCE MEAT... 25c

17-oz jar TOP MINCE MEAT... 15c

Gallon cans SOLID PACKED BLACK-BERRIES 50c

Medium sized VALENCIA ORANGES, doz 40c

quart cans TOP SYRUP 18c

Half gallons TOP SYRUP 35c

1 gallon TOP SYRUP 65c

2½-lb cans PURE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES 15c

Half gallon cans PURE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES 35c

2½-lb cans GLUCOSE 15c

PURE CANE SUGAR (Eagle brand) 100-lb sacks \$6.75

15 lbs FINE GRANULATED SUGAR for \$1.00

Best SUGAR CURED HAMS, 10 lbs 15c

3 quarts extra good CRANBERRIES for 35c

3,000 lbs SOLID CABBAGE, 10 2c
50 lbs or more, per lb 13c

Our Star brand ROAST COFFEE, 1-lb blue pkgs at 25c, and Royal Crown

1-lb carton ROAST COFFEE for 30c are more than full value.

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

To Vote on Local Option.

Andrew county will vote on local option on December 12, the county court having set that date for balloting on the question of putting Andrew county in the "dry" column. At the local option election held August 8, 1907, the county went "wet" by a vote of 1,292 for and 1,351 against local option. There is not, however, a saloon in the county.

BUY Athena Knit Underwear this season—get acquainted with its perfect fit—its daintiness—its wearing qualities—the splendid way it retains its shape and original beauty after washing—then you will wear it always.

ATHENA UNDERWEAR

for
Women and Children

is the latest and best expression of true underwear comfort. Its perfect shaping brings it snug to the figure without wrinkling under the corset. The extra elasticity of the fabric prevents its becoming thick, coarse and bulky in laundering. The yarns are chosen with special reference to wearing qualities. Altogether no other underwear will suit your personal requirements quite so well. In union suits and separate garments at the price you usually pay.

For the Children

Athena insures a perfect fit the first time you buy it. It is long wearing.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

UNDER A PICTURE HAT

As sung in the big musical production

"IN AFRICA"

with ADAMS & YORKE

Words by E. RAY GOETZ

Music by MELVILLE J. GIDEON

Moderato.

1. When a fel-low courts a maid-en now-a-days..... You will
2. No one's pry-ing eyes can watch you sit and spoon..... And your

And he's up to date, When his love he would re-late, And as on her love-ly charms he'll fond-ly gaze,..... Un-like
like they can-not see, So for kiss-ing you are free, With-out be-ing heard you soft-ly sing a tune,..... With two

sweet-hearts used to do, he'll tell his love in dif-fer-ing ways, He won't sing a-bout a coz-y cor-ner where he'd like to spoon, Or
fond hearts keeping time, as tales of love you soft-ly croon, It..... might be ve-ry shock-ing if a hat could on-ly speak, And

rave a-bout the stars a-bove, or sil-very shin-ing moon, He'll not speak a-bout a birch ca-noe, Where
tell of all the fun-ny things that hap-pen un-der-neath, And.... I know if it was that way, With

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No. 222.

there is on-ly room for two, Since the lat-est fash-ions have brought some-thing new.....
her you would-n't get so gay, So..... its the place for spoon-ing lov-ers say.....

CHORUS.

Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... With your girl that's the place to spoon,..... You won't be a-fraid, for
there, in the shade, You can hide from the sun or the moon,..... An-y place, or an-y
time,..... No mat-ter where you're at,..... Neath the gar-dens a-bove, You can tell your tales of love,
Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... hat.....

Under a Picture Hat.

No. 223.

Visited His Parents.

Martin Roots, Jr., a well known traveling salesman out of St. Joseph, visited over Friday night and Saturday in Maryville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roots, Sr. Mr. Roots, Sr., has been ill for several days.

Hosmer's mid-month stock sale at Gray's pavilion Saturday, Nov. 18th.

Went to Savannah.

George B. Baker, Will Sawyers, A. M. Howard, F. P. Reuillard, Arch Frank, Conrad Sweetzer and W. A. Blagg went to Savannah Monday morning on court business.

Mrs. John Stundon and son, John Joseph, spent Sunday at their former home, near Arkoe.

PROPOSITION IS TWO-SIDED

City Girl and Country Lad View the Farm Life From Different Angles.

"I have often wondered, Mr. Clover-top, if the people living on these dear old farms amid scenes of such peaceful and quiet rural beauty, have as keen an appreciation of the wondrous beauty of field and hill and meadow and sky as we dwellers in the city have when we catch our all too fleeting glimpses of them when we face hitherward for our brief midsummer holiday," said Miss Annabelle Gushington to Adoniram Clovertop when he was taking her from the station out to his farm.

Then she added: "O, I am quite sure that you must be sensible of all the charm and beauty of your quiet, happy, peaceful environment. Are you not, Mr. Clover-top?"

"Wa-al, it's this-away," said Mr. Clovertop—"when a feller has pulled out o' bed at three-thutty in the mornin' an' has milked nine keows in muskeeter an' fly time an' the keow critters has basted ye with their tails fer a couple o' hours an' mebbe kicked ye over a few times an' then ye have to give a drove o' screechin' haws their feed an' a hundred ole hens is chasin' ye all over the barnyard cluckin' fer their breakfast an' a calf or two drags ye all over the barnyard while ye air tryin' to git them away from their mothers' an' the thermometer shoots up to a hundred in the shade an' ye have to dig weeds or bug taters all day or git in hay or chase ten or a dozen miles after some keow critter that has got out o' the pasture, an' then ye have all that milkin' to do over again at night an' ye finish up yer chores by lantern light the longest day in the year, when all that happens, ma'am, ye ain't in no condition to git sentimental over 'lights an' shadders' an' 'peaceful scenes' an' sich like. That's two sides to ev'ry proposition an' I reckon my side o' this beauty bizness ain't the same as yours. 'Glowin' sunsets' and 'rosy morns' don't appear the same to me as to you!"—Judge.

Judicial Advice.

"I hope you won't be hard on me, Judge," he said. "You see, I was under the influence of liquor when I done it."

"You seem to have been under the influence of something equally bad when you studied grammar. During the spare moments that you are going to have, permit yourself to indulge in judicious study of the construction of simple sentences. Here is one to begin with—sixty days."

OSLER RIGHT; YOUTH SUCCEEDS AGE

Gray Hair is First Sign of Age—Harmless Remedy Restores to Natural Color.

Osler isn't the only man who turns down old age. In the business world the "young man" is always the one who picks the plums. It is an age of "new thought," "new talent," etc., and the old man is passed by in the race.

One of the first signs of coming age is the appearance of gray hairs. When you see them, act promptly. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy will correct this sign, which so often deceives people into thinking that age is really upon them. It is a well known fact that Sage and Sulphur will darken the hair. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur combines these old-time remedies with other agents, which remove dandruff and promote the growth of the hair.

The manufacturers of this remedy authorize the druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't look old before your time. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur today, and see what an improvement it will make in the appearance of your hair.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, H. H. McClurg, administrator of the estate of Thomas L. McClurg, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1911.

H. H. MCCLURG, Administrator.

Mergen's cut flower store, the place where you can get the best flowers at reasonable prices. Floral work a specialty. Hanam phone 64; Bell 158.

Hosmer, milch cows, stock cattle, stock hogs, brood sows and boars of all breeds at Hosmer's mid-month stock sale.

Mrs. Dale V. Alderman returned to her home in St. Joseph Saturday evening, after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. S. C. Alden, and her husband's parents, Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman.

M. M. Callahan, the big farmer of Arkoe, was in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Adamson of Fort Dodge, Kan., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, the past two weeks, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to spend a few days with her son.

List your stock early for Hosmer's stock sale, Nov. 18th.

Anchor

Yourself to Bank ACCOUNT

A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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Liquors,
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PROSECUTION OF PACKERS BEGINS

Criminal Action Commenced Against Individuals.

FIVE ST. JOSEPH MEN TO TESTIFY

To Produce Books and Records Showing Shipments Handled by Their Railroads—Penalty May be Jail and Fine.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—After more than nine years of investigation by the government the first criminal prosecution of individual meat packers under the Sherman anti-trust act begins here before Judge George A. Carpenter in the United States district court. Ten Chicago packers, heads of the packing industry, are on trial charged with monopolizing and restraining interstate trade in fresh meats. The penalty which may be inflicted if they be found guilty is a fine of \$5,000 or a sentence of one year in the county jail, or both.

The defendants are: Lewis F. Swift, president; Edward F. Swift, vice president, and Charles H. Swift, director of Swift & Co.; Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company; J. Ogden Armour, president and Arthur Meeker, general manager for Armour & Co. Edward Morris, president of Morris & Co.; Francis A. Fowler, director of Swift & Co.; Thomas J. Connors, superintendent of Armour & Co. Louis H. Heyman, manager for Morris & Co.

A special panel of 150 men have been summoned from which to select the jury. Hundreds of witnesses have been called by both sides. It is expected that the trial will proceed for several months.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Subpoenas have been served on five local railroad representatives ordering them to appear in Chicago and to produce the books and records of their respective lines in the case wherein ten Chicago packers are on trial for alleged violations of the anti-trust law.

Those on whom the subpoenas have been served are C. R. Berry, assistant to the vice president of the Chicago, Great Western railway; R. M. Bacheller, division freight agent of the Santa Fe railway; A. L. West, assistant general freight agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway; S. E. Stohr, general freight agent of the St. Joseph & Grand Island railway, and M. B. Irwin, live stock agent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway.

The men say they are to testify as to the shipments of dressed beef and provisions handled by their lines for the St. Joseph packing houses. Eight Omaha railroad men were also served with subpoenas.

LABOR OBJECTS TO NEW SYSTEM

"Scientific Shop Management" Experiment in War Department Leads to Controversy.

Washington, Nov. 13.—By his recent declaration in favor of a system of "scientific shop management," as applied experimentally in the arsenals of the war department Secretary Stimson has fired the opening gun of one of the most bitter controversies in which the government was ever involved, according to the predictions of many well informed observers of public affairs in Washington.

While Secretary Stimson has not gone so far as to state that he is wholly satisfied with the system, nor announced an intention to apply it in full to all the army arsenals, he has made it clear that he is a believer in the system. Already challenges upon the part of labor organizations and promises of spirited combat have been made public in answer to the war department.

The system has been tried out in the arsenals at Watertown, Mass. Secretary Stimson himself makes the careful reservation that the scheme is still wholly in the experimental stage. The war department intends, however, to continue experiments, on a more extensive scale than heretofore, unless interfered with by congressional action.

Phthisis Exhibit Out Again.

Topeka, Nov. 13.—The state Tuberculosis Exhibit starts on its third annual tour at Eudora. The state board of health has collected the exhibit, which has been shown in all the largest towns of the state in the last two years. The small towns are to be visited this winter and stops of only one and two days will be made. Dr. L. Haughey of Topeka will be the lecturer and J. K. Wylie will be his assistant.

Missouri Girls in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 13.—Miss Caroline Elizabeth Jesse of Columbia, daughter of Dr. R. H. Jesse, formerly president of the University of Missouri, has arrived here and intends to remain at least a year. She has planned a busy winter, for, in addition to studying piano with Monsieur Philipp, a professor in the Paris Conservatory, she expects to take work at the Sorbonne.

TORNADOES AND HAIL STORMS

Cause Deaths and Destruction in Many States.

MUCH GLASS BROKEN AT TIPTON

Courthouse Dome at Sedalia Badly Damaged—Mercury Drops 40 Degrees in Ten Minutes—Cloud burst at Joplin.

Thirteen known deaths, several million dollars' property loss and much suffering and inconvenience resulted from the violent change of temperature, the preceding storms and the succeeding cold and snow that beset the central part of the country during the past two days.

Resume of deaths, injuries and damage: Janesville, Wis., and vicinity: Eight persons dead, two dying, a dozen injured and \$1,000,000 damage by tornado.

Chicago: Two men frozen to death, seven fishermen missing on Lake Michigan, many persons hurt on icy pavements, shipping damaged. Central Illinois—Three or more persons dead and many injured in storms at Easton, Virginia, Peoria and other places.

Iowa—One man frozen at Ottumwa; much suffering from cold.

North Dakota—One man frozen at Grand Forks.

Omaha—One man dead in cold.

Indiana—Whole state swept by blizzard; \$1,000,000 damage by wind.

Ohio—Much damage and suffering caused by wind and snow.

Michigan—Storm damage at several places by wind and sleet.

Kentucky—Widespread damage by wind; unusually cold.

Gulf Coast—Unusually severe weather; much suffering.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 13.—A tornado swept across the city at 4 o'clock wrecking buildings, tearing up trees by the roots, demolishing telephone service and injuring a number of persons. No one was dangerously injured, but for a time it was thought that occupants of buildings which collapsed had been killed.

The storm came as the climax of a day of unusual warmth. For 24 hours the wind had been blowing at a 30-mile rate from the south, and it seemed to grow constantly more severe. Suddenly the gale from the south encountered one of equal fierceness from the north, a chill blast which caused the temperature to drop 40 degrees in ten minutes. The two winds appeared to meet directly over the city, and in a moment there was a crashing of timbers, as frame structures were twisted into fragments. Wires went down all over the city and their tangled lengths lay in heaps about the streets. Trees were uprooted and covered sidewalks and streets. It was almost impossible for a time to drive through portions of the city because of the debris with which the streets were filled.

Tipton, Mo., Nov. 13.—A terrific storm broke over this section at 3 o'clock. The rain came down in torrents and was followed by the most severe hailstorm witnessed here for 40 years. Hail as large as walnuts driven by a wind amounting almost to a hurricane broke almost every pane of glass in the west side of residences and business buildings in the city. The wind unroofed some buildings and other damage was done. The mercury stood at 80 when the storm came and in two hours had fallen to 28 with a high west wind prevailing. The amount of hail that fell was so great that at dark the ground was still white.

Sedalia, Mo., Nov. 13.—A cold wave struck this city at 1:45, causing a drop of 40 degrees in less than two hours. A high wind preceded the storm, tearing off a portion of the Pettis county courthouse dome and breaking plate glass in business houses and shattering windows.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 13.—A cloudburst followed by a driving hailstorm brought the temperature here down 42 degrees in two hours and ten minutes.

ASKED REFORM SCHOOL TERM

St. Joseph Youth Feared He Would Steal Again and Suggested His Own Punishment.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Asa Heltman, 11 years old, begged Judge Thomas P. Ryan in the juvenile court here to sentence him to the state reform school at Booneville. The boy had stolen a bicycle and the court was about to send him home, when he said:

"There's no use of sending me back to mother; for we will have to do this all over. I want a bicycle and I haven't the money to buy it with; so I know I'll steal one the first chance I get. You might as well send me to the reform school. I want to learn a trade, anyway."

Judge Ryan sent the boy to the detention home temporarily.

IN ONE CHURCH FIFTY YEARS

MISSOURI PASTOR CELEBRATES HALF CENTURY OF SERVICE.

Rev. Cowan Came to Old Auxvasse Church When a Young Man—Has Preached there 2,000 Times.

Fulton, Mo., Nov. 13.—Fifty years the pastor of one church. That is the record of the Rev. Dr. John Fleming Cowan. The people of the Williamsburg and McCredie neighborhoods, in northeast Callaway county, have entered upon a two days' celebration in his honor.

For half a century Dr. Cowan has served the Old Auxvasse Presbyterian church as pastor.

Dr. Cowan came to the Old Auxvasse church as a young man of 24. The country was rent with strife and the lines were sharply drawn. He was a man of Southern beliefs and his people were of the same mind. He fitted into the post and he has fitted there ever since.

Dr. Cowan has been satisfied to labor among these industrious, honest and worthy people. His congregation has been satisfied to listen to the plain, yet convincing sermons of the man who has served them from early youth until the declining years of his life.

He has preached to the congregation of the Old Auxvasse church 2,000 times. In other churches during revival meetings and occasional visits he has preached 1,200 times. He has conducted 50 revival meetings in various churches.

To the Auxvasse church during the 50 years of his pastorate 535 members have been added, 200 children have been baptized and 240 couples have been married. One hundred and thirty-seven members of the congregation have died during that period and Dr. Cowan has conducted their funerals. Of this number 65 were men and 72 women.

A number of years ago the church divided into three parts. One church was organized in the town of Auxvasse and one at Nine Mile Prairie, the Rev. Mr. Cowan continuing only as pastor of the original church.

For this event they are one again and the three congregations united to make the celebration a fitting tribute to the aged pastor.

ASK CONGRESS TO PROTECT LAKE

St. Joseph Summer Resort in Danger From River, But Town Raises No Funds.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Representatives Thomas Gallagher of Chicago and Charles F. Booher of Savannah, Mo., both members of the rivers and harbors committee, spent a day in an examination of the banks of the Missouri river in the vicinity of St. Joseph. The current has been cutting into the east banks of the river just south of St. Joseph, until there is only a narrow neck of land left between the river and Lake Contrary, the city's popular summer resort.

At its last regular session congress appropriated \$75,000 for use in protecting the banks near the stock yards and the lake, contingent upon the raising of a like amount by local interests for the improvement. No funds were raised here and the congressional appropriation has not been available.

Gallagher and Booher agreed that the river banks should be protected and said they would ask the necessary appropriation at the forthcoming session.

BLOODHOUNDS WERE POISONED

Richmond, Missouri, Syndicate Had Bought Thoroughbreds to Trace Barn Burners.

Richmond, Mo., Nov. 13.—Two bloodhounds, bought in Nebraska a few days ago for \$500, have been poisoned already. A syndicate purchased the hounds and they were left in charge of Ed Boen, a dog fancier. Early in the morning someone was heard prowling around Boen's house and when he went to investigate a little later one of the dogs was dead and the other died shortly afterward.

One of the hounds was used in trailing Hez Rasco, convicted at Maryville, Mo., for the murder of the four members of the Habbell family. There have been several cases of barn burning in this county and the hounds were bought to trail the incendiaries.

Lumber Case December 1.

Jefferson City, Nov. 13.—The taking of testimony in the lumber ouster proceedings will be resumed in Jefferson City December 1. John M. Atkinson, assistant attorney general, says that the state's testimony is all taken and the December hearing will be devoted to the introduction of evidence by the lumber companies. Attorney General Major and Mr. Atkinson believe the state already has won its case.

Beet Mill Starts Work.

Garden City, Kan., Nov. 13.—The \$1,250,000 beet sugar mill begins operations with 5,000 tons of beets in the dumps. The storm will prevent further pulling and handling of beets for some days, but the management doesn't believe it will be for long and will work on what supply it has at the mill.

FELL IN SIGHT OF HIS GOAL

Last Leg of Cross Country Flight Disastrous for Rodgers.

INJURIES SEVERE BUT NOT FATAL

Control Wire Snapped When Less Than Twenty-three Miles From Ocean—Machine Completely Wrecked.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 13.—In an attempted flight from Pasadena to Long Beach, officially to end his Atlantic-Pacific journey, Calbraith P. Rodgers, the aviator, fell with his machine 125 feet into a plowed field. At the time of the accident Rodgers was half way between the two cities and within sight of his destination.

Although no bones were broken, Rodgers was rendered unconscious. He was badly shaken up, his face was scratched and torn, his hands were burned by his motor and he complains of a severe pain in his side. His machine was completely wrecked.

Rodgers left Tournament Park at Pasadena at 3:34, expecting to fly the 23 miles to the beach in as many minutes. He became confused after taking the air and after circling aimlessly for half an hour came down at Covina Junction, a mile further from Long Beach than the point from which he started. He took the air again after getting his bearings and was following the tracks of the Pacific Electric railway when the accident occurred.

Rodgers was still unconscious when Mrs. Rodgers and his mother, who had been waiting his arrival at Long Beach, reached him. After an examination his physicians announced that he would suffer no permanent injury.

While the cause of the accident will not be known until Rodgers recovers sufficiently to explain it, it is believed that a control wire snapped, inverting the rudder of his machine and heading its nose downward at a sharp angle.

TWICE IN SUPREME COURT

LARABEE MILLS CASE NOW INVOLVES OVER \$40,000.

Suit Begun Four Years Ago Over Demurrage Charges of \$99 Continues to Increase in Amount.

Topeka, Nov. 13.—The supreme court of the United States is going to get another chance at the Larabee Mills case against the Missouri Pacific railroad company, a suit which grew from \$89 to more than \$40,000. The Kansas supreme court has denied a rehearing to the Missouri Pacific.

This will make the second time the case has been in the supreme court of the United States. It began four years ago when the Larabee Mills company refused to pay a claim of \$89 demurrage charges on account of holding cars at the mills. When the millers refused to pay, the railroad stopped switching cars to the mill, and the Larabees brought suit in the Kansas supreme court to compel the switching of the cars. The Kansas supreme court ordered the railroad company to do the switching and the railroad took the case to the supreme court of the United States. The decision of the Kansas court was affirmed.

Then came up the question of damages to the mill company and the payment of the attorneys. The attorneys put in claims aggregating \$40,000, and the mill company had claims for damages of the same amount. The Missouri Pacific did not switch any cars to the mill for seven months and the actual and exemplary damages for handling wheat and flour to the mill is listed at this amount. The attorneys were given \$10,000 and the mill company \$30,000 damages. In addition to this there are the costs in the court and the railroad's attorneys. The supreme court has just denied a rehearing on the attorney fees and the damages, and the Missouri Pacific has announced that it will take this to the supreme court of the United States to try to get a reduction in fees and damages allowed.

STRONG LANGUAGE IN A REPORT

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 13.—That the McNamara brothers are the innocent objects of the "diabolical revenge" of C. G. Harrison Gray Otis is the assertion made by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in his annual report which was submitted at the meeting of the federation here today. Mr. Gompers discussed the Los Angeles dynamiting case at considerable length and did not spare strong language in denouncing the actions of those who are seeking to convict the McNamaras of guilt in connection with the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building.

The report of Secretary Morrison shows that the membership for 1911 is at its highest point—1,756,735—and that there was a balance in the treasury on September 30 of \$189,579.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

Writing class, Business college tonight.

LOST—By Mrs. Will Wallis, Jr., Saturday night, large mink muff, with full mountings. Return to offices of Drs. Wallis. Reward. 13-15

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping for young married couple. Enquire at this office. 11-14

FOR RENT—Dwelling with all conveniences, only \$15.00. R. L. McDougal

FOR RENT—Modern furnished house, seven rooms, good street, close in, adults only. Enquire at Democrat-Forum. 6-12

FOR SALE—Household goods. B. F. Christie, 306 West Seventh. 24-16

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-11

Good clover hay for sale. One ton or forty. See John Hansen. 11-14

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms or Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

Will have plenty of Poland-China male hogs for sale for the next two weeks. M. A. Nicholas & Sons. 8-21

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, 1 mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr. 6-11

FOR SALE—A number 1 good milch cow, 5 years old, town broke. Inquire at this office. 10-13

A good country stock of general merchandise, clean and a bargain. See John Hansen. 11-14

FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels, last spring hatch, from 75c up. William Barry, Quitman. Phone, Farmers, Maryville, 14-22. 1-1

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red cockerels, dandies. \$1.00 each. Mrs. J. A. Clark, Farmers phone 24-15. 17-17

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars of spring farrow. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-11

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte cockerels, prize winning strain, pure bred, \$1 if taken soon. Eggs in season. Mrs. Daisy Small, Pickering, Mo. Farmers phone 3-29. 4-3

FOR SALE—Five acres, good house 2 good wells, barn, some fruit and berries. Inside city limits, near Halasey and Depot streets. Will sell cheap if taken soon. See Mrs. Mary M. Weisenberger. 11-25

FOR SALE—Coal sold and delivered in one or more basket lots, without any charge for delivery, by Anthony's second hand store, 207 West Third street. Hanamo phone 258 red. 11

FOR SALE—7-room house, city water, bath, barn, hay and crib room, buggy shed, chicken house and yard, good brick cave, fruit, 4 lots, 8 blocks from square, on paved streets, cement walks; \$2,500; will take part stock. J. P. Norris. 8-21

CLOVER HAY FOR SALE—About fifty tons; can be fed to cattle on the premises if desired, or will sell all or part by the stack. The meadow, 160 acres, is seven miles north of Maryville. Enquire of J. S. Pfeiffer, resides half mile southeast of land. This 160 acres is for rent for next season pasture. Well fenced, good water. The Sisson Loan and Title Co., Maryville, Mo. 11

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

SKIRTS—Ladies wanted to attend skirt sale at the Mercantile. Best bargains ever offered in latest styles and patterns. 10-13

I will continue in my optical work until January 1st. Call and see me if you desire my services. Dr. Gertrude DuVall, 114½ South Main. 10-13

Parties wanting their quilts quilted the New Way must bring them in before December 10th. Business closes January 1st if not sold. 114½ South Main. 10-13

FRESH OYSTERS

Direct from the coast. They are large enough to fry, and don't you know a New York Oyster is lighter in color and a finer flavor than Baltimore stock. They come to us in five-gallon cans SEALED. No lee ever put in the Oysters. Compare our Oysters with others and you can see the difference. We sell the solid meat. NO WATER. A trial will convince you we are right on the Oyster question.

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B. R. Martin's Law Office.
I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday or each week. Will come any time by appointment.
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We Never Sleep.
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Chas. E. Stilwell,
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Under Montgomery's Shoe Store. Work of all kinds. Shave 10c. Baths.
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A few good yearling ox-ford bucks and a few good ram lambs. F. P. Robinson.
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Fresh Cut Flowers
When you see the flowers growing here in our greenhouses, see us cut them and pack them each day for our orders, and taking into consideration our very reasonable prices, you will readily see why Englemann's Flowers are in demand, not only in Maryville but in the towns and territory for many miles around Maryville. You can have fresh flowers in your home every day in the year by writing or phoning your wants to
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FOR GOOD ROADS

FATHER PLACID ADVOCATES A BOND ISSUE.

WANTS ISSUE OF \$25,000

If This Is Voted, He Says, the State Must Furnish \$25,000, and the Burden Would Be Light.

A movement is on foot in Jefferson township, Rev. Fr. Placid being the originator, to have the county court call a special election in that township for the purpose of voting on a \$25,000 bond issue for the purpose of good roads. In case the issue would carry, \$25,000 more would be received from the state, and with an amount of \$50,000 Jefferson township would certainly have some good roads.

Since the good roads question is one of the most important ones today, and as other townships ought to follow the example of Jefferson, we print below a letter from Rev. Fr. Placid. The letter, which was published in last week's Clyde Times, follows:

Our roads of today show little improvement over the roads of thirty or forty years ago. Thousands of dollars have been simply wasted on our roads for the last half century. Often, especially in wet seasons, hauling is almost impossible on many of our roads. On account of bad roads people are also very often kept from church, which makes the road question a church question. Good roads would be of the greatest benefit to our farming community. Good roads would allow the farmer to do his hauling at times when it is too wet to work in the field. Good roads would permit him to haul a double load, and to haul it in less time. Good roads would reduce wear and tear in horses, harness and vehicles. Good roads would raise the value of farm lands. Yes, looking at good roads only from the "almighty dollar's" side they are found to pay a handsome dividend each year. Money wisely spent for permanent road work is sure to return. Alas, each year we lack the funds for working our roads properly. You may even double the road money usually on hand in our township treasury and it will not suffice to do any road work that will last, therefore it is money thrown away.

For this reason I proposed in my last road letter to profit by a new law and to request our county court to call in this township a special election for voting \$25,000 road bonds. If, then, this \$25,000 is used for permanent road improvements, the state will have to give us another \$25,000, thereby increasing our road fund to \$50,000. I do not expect that the \$25,000 state money will be available very long, since it places too great a burden upon the state, therefore we ought to hurry. The bonds would run for fifteen years. They would be sold by the county court, but the court would surely respect our wishes about the selling of the bonds. The Maryville Water company has an offer of 4 1/2 per cent on their bonds.

In my last road letter I stated that five mills a year for fifteen years would pay for the bonds, including 5 per cent interest. Since that time I received the opinion of three of the best attorneys that the two railroad companies which do business in this township would have to pay their share towards these bonds. The attorneys state that this is beyond question. Now if we go by the railroad tax of last year and the improvements made by the Chicago Great Western railroad since that time, the railroad share would be about two-fifths of the entire bonds, or \$10,000, leaving to the township \$15,000. This would bring the five mills down to three mills. That means, a man whose property is assessed at \$1,000 would have to pay \$3 a year toward the bonds, and that for fifteen years. That would make less than 6 cents a year for fifteen years on every acre of land in the township, if all the personal property were converted into land, or an average of \$4 a year for every tax-

payer in the township. There are in the township about 29,000 acres of land and 334 taxpayers, and the taxable property amounts to about \$560,000. If the bonds are voted the township board is authorized to cut down the poll tax from \$6 to \$2. That would make the bonds easier for about half of our taxpayers than the paying of the new poll tax of \$6. The township board would have the sole right to expend the \$50,000; and it would also belong to the same to choose the roads in the township on which the improvements had to be made, and to determine the nature of the improvement. But after the board had made its choice, the permanent improvements decided upon by the board would have to be carried out upon the plans and under the supervision of the state highway engineer.

The township board will be wise enough, in case that the bonds should carry, to let the voters of the township decide what permanent improvements should be made and on what roads. Permanent improvements, according to law, would be "the surfacing of any road with gravel or rock, or with a well constructed mixture of sand and earthy material, commonly termed a sand clay road, or any grading of the road, and the construction of concrete or masonry culverts, or any and all of the defined improvements." All the money derived from the road bonds would have to be spent in the township, and since the township board alone—that means local men—would have the care of the money, graft or anything of that kind would hardly have to be feared. It would also depend on the township board within what time the improvements would have to be made. We would receive the state's money in proportion to the work done by us. It is due us whenever a piece of road work is finished, according to the plans of the state highway engineer, provided we finish it before the law granting it to us is repealed.

The above should make everything plain to our people. To the best of my knowledge I have stated nothing but facts. Consider these facts, and not idle talk of men. Whilst the bonds would not give us fine boulevards, whilst they would not do away with all our road needs, they would unquestionably vastly improve our roads in a lasting manner. And, as stated above, the improvements would cost the average taxpayer not more than the poll tax, according to the new law, whilst it would give an opportunity to many a poor man to earn a handsome sum by working his team at the improvements or as a day laborer.

In short, there is absolutely no drawback in this proposition. If I knew of any I would tell you. I would also tell you if the taxation resulting from the bonds would be in any way a burden to our people, at least not to the poorer taxpayers. But also the heavy taxpayers will have no just complaints against the bonds when they consider the benefits which our entire community, and especially the larger land owners (they themselves) would derive from the contemplated road improvements, whilst even for them the yearly tax would not amount to a great deal. I would never have undertaken this step if I were not convinced of its great advantages for our township, and I undertook it at this time, for which I have watched for years, because now we will get the state's aid, which may fail us if we delay a year longer.

Once more I invite the legal voters of this township to sign the petition which is to request the county court to call the bond election. You will find a copy of the petition at the hardware store of Proctor & Graham, Clyde, and another at my office. Only twenty signers are necessary. The petition has already forty-seven, some of them heavy taxpayers, and so far none from the monastery. But I would like for every good man of the township to sign it, and to sign it as soon as possible, as we have no time to lose, if we want this matter settled before spring.

Newly-Weds Return Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howland of Bolckow returned to their home Monday morning from a few days' visit with Mr. Howland's brother, W. P. Howland, and family, and with an uncle, W. D. Walker, and family, living east of Maryville. Mrs. Howland was Miss Carrie Peterson of Bolckow before her marriage, the 26th of September.

Mrs. C. C. Hilsabeck, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, returned to her home near Orrsburg Monday.

Christmas picture frames. Give orders early, at Crane's.

IS CHOSEN DIRECTOR

PROF. DONALD CADY SELECTED BY BAND BOYS AT A MEETING.

TO CONFER WITH CLUB

For Permanent Band Organization—Boys to Promote and Assist the Ladies' Military Band.

Professor Donald Cady of St. Joseph was chosen director of the newly organized Maryville band and orchestra at a called meeting of that organization held Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cady will arrive in the city Tuesday to meet the Commercial club Tuesday night at its meeting to confer with him in regard to arrangements with the business men of our city for a permanent band organization for our city—one that will meet the needs of our city.

Mr. Cady needs no introduction to the people of Maryville. His ability as a musician and band director is beyond question, and his work the past two years at Columbia and St. Joseph has served to make his services more desirable. During the past summer and fall he has been sole violinist for Guyman's orchestra of St. Joseph.

A unanimous vote was taken by the band Sunday to promote and assist the Ladies' Military band, lately organized, and which is being so successfully conducted and directed by Miss Alma Nash. The boys recognize the possibility of a successful rival in the Ladies' Military band, and it is their desire to assist them in every way possible, because they know that the success of all our musical organizations is a fine advertisement for the musical ability and tendencies of the town. With the work of two bands in such good hands, all public occasions will be sure to be well supplied with the best music in the land, and other towns less favored with musical talent will be depending on Maryville for music.

TO OBSERVE THE DAY.

The Elks Making Preparations for Memorial Day on December 3.

One of the most beautiful customs observed by the Elks is that of annually paying a tribute of love to the memory of the deceased members of the order. The first Sunday in December of each year is set apart for the observance of this custom, and on that day every Elks lodge in the country will be assembled in session of sorrow. Arrangements are being made by the Maryville lodge to observe this day.

DELEGATES TO CONGRESS.

Several From Maryville Selected by Governor Hadley.

Several delegates to the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, which will convene in Kansas City Tuesday, were appointed by Governor Hadley Saturday. From Maryville Governor Hadley appointed W. C. Pierce, W. F. Phares, Dr. F. R. Anthony, F. M. Townsend, H. F. Leet, R. J. Curfman and C. J. Alderman. John Sewell of Burlington Junction was also named as a delegate.

BACK FROM MEETING.

C. A. Hawkins Made a Member of the Executive Committee.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson, Superintendent C. A. Hawkins, Prof. Ira Richardson and Miss Mary Hughes returned Sunday from the State Teachers' association, which met in Hannibal last week. Mr. Hawkins was made a member of the executive committee of the association. The next meeting will be held in Springfield, November 7, 8 and 9, 1912.

Miss Pauline Morgan of Graham, who has been visiting in the city the past week with her nieces, Mrs. J. N. Bryan and Mrs. Philip Daize, went to St. Joseph Monday morning to visit another niece, Mrs. John Renner.

MARCELL'S Advertisement

When you get a Marcell Portrait you get one produced entirely by one man, one mind, not dabbled with by half a dozen workmen, each with different ideas. Each print leaving our Studio has my own personal attention.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting.

The M. I. Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Ray of South Main street, instead of with Mrs. Eugene Ogden, south of town, on account of the severe weather.

To Inspect Relief Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk and Mrs. Lena Ruddle went to Graham Saturday, where an inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps at that place was held Saturday night by Mrs. Ruddle and Mrs. Funk. Mr. and Mrs. Funk will remain this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hamm of Graham.

Shakespeareans Will Meet.

The Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club will meet with Mrs. Edwin G. Orear Tuesday afternoon at her home, 393 North Vine street. Mrs. M. G. Tate will lead the study in place of Mrs. W. C. Pierce, who is in Pasadena, Cal., for the winter. Mrs. D. J. Thomas will have charge of current events.

Her Fourteenth Birthday.

Mrs. M. A. Lewis, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Emery Airy, gave a dinner Sunday to observe the fourteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter and sister, Miss Mary. The guests were Miss Mary's chum, Miss Vella Booth, and Miss Laura Craig, Miss Edna Dietz and Miss Selma Young, who are members of the Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church of which the honor guest is a member.

Returned From House Party.

Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole returned Saturday night from Chillicothe, where she was a guest at a house party at the New Leeper hotel, given by Mrs. Bertrand T. Clark, wife of the New Leeper's host. Two other guests were Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, who remained for a longer visit, and Mrs. John Dempsey, formerly of Maryville. Mrs. Clark entertained several times informally for her guests, and they attended several delightful social affairs while her guests.

Elks to Give Possum Supper.

The Elks will give on Thursday evening a dinner in their club rooms, to which all members and their families and lady friends are invited. After the dinner, cards and dominoes will be played. The dinner is to begin at 8 o'clock. Several possums have been engaged and will be served that night.

The Elks are preparing a series of entertainments for the winter. As yet the program is not complete, but next week a stag snoker will be given, and on Thanksgiving evening, November 30, a dance will be given.

Announce Daughter's Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Cole made formal announcement this week of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jessie M. Cole, to Mr. William O. Bowers of Bedford, Ia. The date of the wedding is not yet decided upon, but will take place some time within the coming three weeks. The announcement does not come as a surprise to the friends and relatives of the bride and groom-to-be. Mr. Bowers is the son of Mr. E. L. Bowers of near Bedford, Ia. Mr. Bowers and Miss Cole will be at their home, eight miles north of Bedford, Ia., after January 1st.

Gave Her Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Miss Juanita Neal gave her a pleasant surprise party Friday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. G. Harbison, last Friday evening. Progressive dominoes were played. The tally cards were in the form and color of the genuine Thanksgiving turkey. After the games refreshments were served by Mrs. Harbison and her sister, Miss Bertha Gatton. Those present were Misses Leona Pierpoint, Anita Hill, Gladys Morehouse, Mary Stundon, Mary Brady, Mary Gram, Lavisa Swinford, Maud Helpely, Bertha Gatton, Juanita Neal, J. P. Neal, Mrs. Del Davison, Fred Harbison and the hostess.

Met With Mrs. Herndon.

The Young Woman's Missionary society of the First M. E. church held a delightful meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Herndon, when Mrs. Jesse Miller, Mrs. L. L. Maier and Mrs. Herndon were the hostesses. The study for the afternoon, "Hindooism," was led by Miss Dena Hartman. The rest of the program were papers on "Hindooism" by Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, "The Caste

System" by Miss Golda Airy, "Its Effects on Women" by Mrs. J. C. Combs, "The Character of Its God" by Mrs. Leslie Dean, "Points of Contact and Contrast With Christianity" by Miss Hartman. A letter from a Hindoo woman was read by the society's president, Miss Maud Clark. A piano number by Miss Lucille Airy closed the program. During the social hour the hostess served refreshments that would have been suitable for a grand party, and their twenty or more guests were delighted with the afternoon, although the weather was so disagreeable as to threaten to interfere with the success of the meeting. Mrs. H. P. Swinehart and Mrs. Eldon Lloyd were the visitors.

Kelley-Jones.

An attractive affair was the wedding of Miss Daisy M. Jones and Mr. Alva S. Kelley, which was performed Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones, Rev. C. J. Miller of the First Christian church officiating. The beautiful ring ceremony was used. Green and white was the pretty color scheme carried out in the living room and the parlor. In the parlor were ferns, in front of which the bride and groom stood. To the strains of the wedding march from "Lohengrin," played by Miss Lottie Perrin, they came into the parlor.

The bride is a very charming girl. Her gown was white marquisette over white charmense satin. The marquisette was caught up at the side of the skirt with a seed pearl ornament. The waist was draped in the marquisette and caught up in the front with three daisies or seed pearls. The bodice was also elaborately trimmed with crystal fringe and hand embroidered with crystal beads. Her sleeves were short and she wore long white gloves. She carried a large bouquet of bride's roses tied with white tulle. In her hair she wore a white malign bow. The groom was dressed in a dark blue serge suit.

After the wedding a dainty dinner was served. The color scheme of green and white being carried out.

The guests were Rev. Claude J. Miller and Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Jennie Thompson and daughter, Miss Frankie; Mr. John R. Jones, the brother of the bride; Mr. Morris Kelley, a brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones, parents of the bride; Miss Lottie Perrin and Miss June E. Jones. The bride's brother in Nebraska did not get here for the wedding.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones. She is a very charming girl and is admired by her friends. She will be missed by her friends in school.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Sarah E. Kelley. He is in the employ of Sawyers & Airy, grocers. He is a very nice young man and has a host of friends who wish them a long life of happiness.

The gifts to the bride and groom were many and beautiful. They have not decided what they will do. They will be at home for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones.

WANTED AT CANEY, KAN.

Harry Johnson Arrested and Will Be Taken There on a Grand Larceny Charge.

John Wallace received a letter Monday with a warrant from the chief of police at Caney, Kan., for the arrest of Harry Johnson, a local tailor. Johnson is wanted in that city on a charge of grand larceny and will be taken there probably Tuesday, as the chief of police of Caney will arrive in Maryville Tuesday noon. Johnson is favorably known in police circles, and it was only a few months ago that he attempted to take his life.

HOLIDAY AT NORMAL.

No School Monday, as Heater Pipes Froze and Then Burst.

An unexpected holiday was granted the Normal students Monday, as a result of the installation of the new boiler in the heating plant. The water pipes in the plant were exposed to the cold, as the entire north side of the boiler room has been removed in order to put in the new boiler. The water in the pipes froze and caused them to burst. The pipes are being repaired and school work will be resumed Tuesday.

Returned to Pickering.

Miss Letha Moberly and her niece, Miss Esther Pfeiffer, both of whom have been patients at St. Francis hospital, where they underwent surgical operations for appendicitis, returned to their homes at Pickering Monday. Miss Moberly had been a patient at the hospital for nearly two months.

CONVENED MONDAY

REGULAR NOVEMBER TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION.

M'CRERY WAS SENTENCED

To Six Months in Jail for Assaulting Phillip Kaufman of Conception Junction.

The regular November term of circuit court convened Monday morning with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. The docket was gone over first by Judge Ellison and the attorneys and the various entries made in several cases.

The parole docket was taken up Monday. Loren L. Moore, paroled, was discharged upon payment of costs. As to the paroles of Levi Kelley, Ed Warren and Tom McMullin, their paroles were continued. Several paroles will probably be revoked by Judge Ellison as soon as more news as to the conduct of the parties are received.

Several cases were dismissed. They were as follows: Estell Griffey vs. John Lester Griffey, divorce, plaintiff dismisses suit; S. H. Williams, collector, vs. W. J. Leeper, back tax, and S. H. Williams, collector vs. Kimball Lumber company, back tax, both cases were dismissed, and the state ex rel B. F. Carson and C. V. Carson vs. A. M. Bright, action on bond, and H. H. Libbee & Co., vs. Charles Roof, on account, were also dismissed.

H. H. McCrery, who lives near Conception Junction, pleaded guilty to the charge of common assault and was sentenced to six months in the county jail. Phillip Kaufman of the Junction was the complaining witness, and it is charged that McCrery beat Kaufman up over a bill that he owed Kaufman, who was making efforts to collect it. McCrery is 26 years old and is married and has a family of two children. He has been working near the Junction since last March.

The equity docket is to be taken up Tuesday.

CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY.

Regular Meeting of Commercial Club—Several Matters to Be Taken Up.

The Commercial club will meet Tuesday evening in their club rooms at 7:30 o'clock, at which time a smoker and the regular business of the club will be taken up. Several matters are to be taken up, and it is urged that every member attend.

One of the propositions taken up by the club will be in regard to the re-organization of the Maryville band, and to go over a proposition submitted by Donald Cady of St. Joseph to take charge of the work. The band boys decided Sunday to accept Mr. Cady's proposition, and if they have the backing of the Commercial club they will go ahead at once on organizing a band.

IT WAS 2 ABOVE.

Sunday Morning the Thermometer Showed That—Warmer Weather.

The cold wave, accompanied by a high wind, which arrived here Saturday afternoon made many people suffer, as no severe cold wave at this time was expected, and caught them unprepared. Sunday morning the thermometer registered 2 above zero. On Monday morning the government thermometer showed 17 above zero.

The cold weather will not last long. It was a little warmer today, and for Tuesday a marked rise in the mercury is predicted.

AT 11 MINUTES PAST 11.

A Deed Was Recorded on Saturday Which Was Written 11-11-11.

A deed was recorded in Records 1, Arthur Wray's office Saturday morning at 11 minutes past 11 o'clock. Saturday was the 11th day of the 11th month of the 11th year, and the deed was recorded at 11 minutes past 11 o'clock, it brought about a queer combination of figures.

The Weather

Increasing cloudiness tonight Tuesday; rising temperature.



DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert opticians. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

When you think of handkerchiefs think of HOTCHKIN'S VARIETY STORE
106 South Main St.
Maryville, Mo.

We have a large fine large assortment which we bought direct from the manufacturer. We bought these right and we are going to sell them the same way.

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Guests From Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tramp and son and daughter of Creston, Ia., came to Maryville Saturday evening and visited until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Young and family of North Buchanan street. Mr. Tramp is a brick and tile manufacturer of Creston. The visitors accompanied Mr. Young home Saturday evening for his usual Sunday visit with his family. Mr. Young is introducing the new silo in southeastern Iowa manufactured by Borrusch Brothers of this city.

Spent Sunday With Sister.

J. B. McIntyre and his daughter, Miss Martha McIntyre, of St. Joseph visited in Maryville over Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Edward L. Ferritor, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey of Lawn avenue went to Savannah Saturday evening to visit Mrs. Bailey's brother, Milton Wachtel. On their way home they will stop at Rosendale for a visit with two other of Mrs. Bailey's brothers, John M. and Thomas Wachtel.

Mr. J. E. Paulette and Miss Elsie McKenzie went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to visit over Sunday with Mr. Paulette's mother, Mrs. W. H. Paulette.

Miss Ada Hudson went to her home, near Arkoe, Saturday evening to visit home folks.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Spent Day With Daughters.

Isaac Coler of Barnard came to Maryville Monday morning to accompany his daughters, Misses Eunice and Carrie Coler, to Maryville. The young ladies, who are State Normal students, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday. As there was no school Monday, on account of deficient heat at the Normal building, Mr. Coler remained for the day as the guest of his daughters.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. Thomas Cook and her mother, Mrs. Adkins, of Barnard, were in Maryville Monday on their way to Shenandoah to visit Mrs. Cook's son, R. E. Cook, and family. Mr. Cook is manager of the Burlington railway's interests at Shenandoah.

Visited Family in Maryville.

Mr. John Campbell of Kansas City spent Sunday in Maryville with Mrs. Campbell and their daughter, Miss Mary, who are the guests of his sisters, Mrs. Edward F. Wolfert and Mrs. George B. Baker.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin J. Bartram and son returned Monday from Tecumseh, Neb., where they were called last week by the death of Mrs. Bartram's brother, William Earlewine.

U. S. Wright returned Monday noon from a week's visit at Douglas, Kan., with his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Conklin, and her husband.

Miss Alice Orcutt, principal of the Polckow high school, spent Sunday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orcutt.

Box Social.

Given by the Ladies' Military band and Company F, to be held in the armory, above the Tribune, on Tuesday evening, November 21.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Mrs. Henry Baker and Miss Florence Thompson of St. Joseph were Maryville business visitors Monday.

Bring your stock to the mid-month sale, Nov. 18th. The buyers will be there.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Card Party for the Knights.

The ladies of the Knights of Columbus will give a card party at the Knights' hall Tuesday night, the proceeds to be used for the purpose of getting new drapings for the hall. The ladies in charge of the affair are Mrs. J. B. Cummins, Mrs. Fred Diss and Mrs. Conrad Yehle.

P. E. O. Meeting.

Members of the P. E. O. chapter met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. C. Allender for their regular meeting. At the business session preceding the program the members voted to hold a market on Saturday, Nov. 18, the place to be announced later. The lesson, "France," was led by Mrs. Allender, who treated the subject from the standpoint of its commercial and social life. Mrs. M. G. Tate talked of French women and art. Mrs. J. Wesley Jones of Loveland, Col., who is visiting the J. E. Montgomery and Milton Rittenour families, was a visitor at the meeting. In two weeks the chapter will meet with Mrs. O. C. Hanna, when Miss Mary Q. Evans will assist as hostess.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—23,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.

Hogs—29,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.65. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000. Sheep—35,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—14,000. Market strong. Hogs—6,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.47.

Sheep—10,000. Market 10c higher. ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong. Hogs—2,500. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.50.

Sheep—1,500. Market 10c higher.

A New Editor at Tribune.

Roy Godsey is the new city editor of the Tribune, commencing work Monday. Mr. Godsey succeeds O. R. Geyer who will leave soon for Tulsa, Okla., where he has a fine position. Mr. Godsey has had much experience in newspaper work.

Will Leave for Vermont.

Mrs. Jane McFarlane of Waterbury, Vt., who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Rebecca Brink of this city, Mrs. James Lyle of Graham and Mrs. Nancy B. Moore of near Arkoe, will leave Monday night for her home. Mrs. McFarlane has been visiting her sisters and their families for the past seven weeks.

What do you want to sell in Hosmer's mid-month stock sale, Nov. 18th.

Small Fire at Morrison Home.

The fire company was called Monday afternoon to Dr. J. B. Morrison's home, on South Main street, now occupied by Mr. Vincent of the skating rink. The fire caught in the basement, where there were several tons of coal. Not much damage was done except the smoke in the house.

Horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and all kinds at Hosmer's sale, Nov. 18th.

Faust tonight—Fern theater.

Jesse Anderson, a Kansas City attorney, arrived in Maryville Monday.

CATARH DOCTOR.

You Can Get the Best One in the World for \$1.00.

Go to the Orear-Henry Drug Co. today. Say "I want a Hyomel outfit," take it home with you, open and pour a few drops of Hyomel (pronounce it High-o-mel) into the little hard rubber inhaler.

Then breathe pleasant soothing, healing, germ killing Hyomel over the raw, inflamed, germ ridden membrane for a few minutes and relief is immediate.

Stuffed up head will vanish. Keep up the treatment four or five times a day for a few days and hawking, spitting and forming of mucus in the nose and throat will cease.

Hyomel is guaranteed to end catarrh, coughs, colds, croup, asthma, catarrhal deafness, or money back. Complete outfit \$1.00, subsequent bottles if needed, 50 cents, at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Mrs. C. C. Moon and son visited over Sunday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. S. E. Moos, and her niece, Mrs. Ed Bratcher.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic cases, sealed with Blue Ribbons. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

'BLUFF' AMONG THE NEGROES

Little Story of a Quarrel That Illustrates Their Love of Flourish and Pose.

Love of bluff is a curious characteristic of the negro. Sometimes the deadly razor becomes active with a vengeance, but countless other times it is merely flourished with frightful threats and boasts of its slashing qualities. These are vanity poses.

One night recently I saw a striking living picture of this kind. I was one of a crowd which got off an early morning elevated train. A negro quarrel was in progress in front of a house on the opposite side of the street and all stopped to watch it. One husky black was about to apply an axe to the cranium of a smaller negro, when an ally of the lesser one threatened the husky individual with a blackjack from behind. Thus it stood—if the axe fell on one skull the blackjack would descend on another. Neither participant seemed willing to "start anything." There was the tableau and it simply died away like a moving picture climax on the screen.

Evidently this scene of inaction overtaxed the patience of the dusky spectators, for they broke the lull by tossing beer bottles at one another. This, too, was without ginger. Just as I stepped behind a telegraph pole to avoid the flying glass, an excited old darkey appeared at the door and fired a shotgun over the heads of the disputants.

A peaceful citizen next to me was taken to the hospital and I limped home with bird shot in my legs. The old man's bluff was effective and the careful blacks dispersed, seeking their beds to dream of flocks of chickens and trainloads of watermelons.

WHEN CARVING WAS AN ART

In Old Days the Silencing Was Suited to the Importance of the Guest.

Carving was once a serious thing. The sixteenth century carver was a professional. He had to make the joint fit the guest. The size of his silences was the thing. Then he had to know his guests and cut accordingly.

A lord, for instance, at the table, and a pike was dished up whole. Smaller fry, and the pike came on in slices. The same procedure with pig. The rank of the diners decided whether it should appear at table in gold leaf or naked, whole or sliced. With bread, too, there was a difference.

New or three days old baked was at the discretion of the carver as he sized up the visitors. And as for the apportioning of the tidbits according to precedence there was no end. The old-time carver in fact was born and then made.

The eighteenth century was the day of the carving master. He taught hostesses the art. Lady Mary Montagu, for instance, took three lessons a week "that she might be perfect on her father's public days, when, in order to perform her functions without interruptions, she was forced to eat her own dinner alone an hour or two beforehand."

The hostess carved while the host "pushed the bottle." She did more. She urged the guests to eat more and more, and woe to her if she neglected a guest. The diner who was forced to help himself to a slice of anything nearly choked. These diners of the eighteenth century liked being pressed. And the hostess welcomed the end of the feast.—London Chronicle.

Arabia's Laughing Plant.

The laughing plant is not a flower that laughs, but one that creates laughter, if the printed accounts of travelers can be believed, says an English paper. It grows in Arabia and is called the laughing plant because the seeds produce effects like those caused by laughing gas. The flowers are of a bright yellow, and the seed pods are soft and woolly, while the seeds resemble small black beans. Only two or three grow in a pod. The natives dry and pulverize them, and the powder, taken in small doses, makes the soberest person behave like a circus clown or a madman, for he will dance, sing and laugh most boisterously and cut the most fantastic capers and be in an uproarously ridiculous condition for about an hour. When the excitement ceases the exhausted exhibitor of these antics falls asleep, and when he awakens he has not the slightest remembrance of his frisky doings.

King Corn.

Corn, the gift of the new world to the old, is the king of grains. Each year some new use is found for it. Even after everything, seemingly, has been extracted from it there is left a valuable residuum known as corn oil cake, which is sold here and abroad and is used in the fattening of sheep and other animals. Nearly 50,000,000 pounds of this material are annually shipped to Great Britain and Germany and there used by farmers, who find it cheaper than materials of a similar nature which they can grow at home.

Competition.

"You still assert that competition is the life of trade?" "Oh, yes," said Mr. Dustin Stax. "But we don't care to compete for a chance to sell our goods. What we want is to find people with their money out competing for the privilege of buying them."

THINK THIS OVER.

This Offer Should Gain the Confidence of the Most Skeptical.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorless, and tasteless; very pronounced, gentle, and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them only at our store. 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Mrs. Kate Thompson went to Kansas City Monday morning to spend several weeks with her son, Ed Thompson and family.

Mrs. Will Wendle and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Chambers of Arkoe were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

CURED TO STAY CURED.

How a Maryville Citizen Found Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—From urinary disorders—From any disease of the kidneys, Be cured to stay cured.

Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures. Maryville people testify.

Here's one case of it:

I. M. Woods, East Jenkins street, Maryville, Mo., says: "For some time kidney trouble had been lurking in my system, and although it did not bother me to any extent, I could see that the attacks were becoming more frequent and severe. Finally my kidneys became so badly disordered that I was obliged to seek relief. The kidney secretions were unnatural and so irregular in passage as to annoy me greatly. I also had a pain in my back and could hardly stoop. Dizzy spells and headaches were common, and I was in a miserable condition when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills. I began their use, and after I had taken the contents of three boxes I was free from kidney trouble."—(Statement given in 1901.)

Time Is the Test.

On September 19, 1908, Mr. Wood added to the above: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills effected in my case several years ago has been permanent. I am glad to again recommend this splendid remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn & Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

If you want a paper delivered ask the news boy or call at E. W. Friend's Barber Shop--The News Stand. Roy Godsey, Prop.

NOVEMBER 13, 1911.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers.)

Not good after Thursday, November

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Barnes Brothers
169 West Third St.

Specials for Tuesday and Wednesday at TOWNSEND'S

Treat yourself to the best. Buy at the store where High Quality and Moderate Prices prevail.

Quart size cans LEMON CLING PEACHES sliced or halves, only 20c

Quart cans NEW VIRGINIA SWEET POTATOES—

2 cans 25c
4 cans 45c
12 cans \$1.25

SWEET MIXED, PLAIN SOUR, PLAIN SWEET PICKLES or CHOW CHOW in Mason quart jars for .20c

Libby's finest JAM or PRESERVES, pure fruit and cane sugar, 40c jars for 25c

RASPBERRY, STRAWBERRY or BLACKBERRY COMPOUND PRESERVES, Mason quart jars, for .20c

All kinds of FANCY CHEESE, FRESH NUTS, DATES and FIGS.

New Santa Clara PRUNES, medium size, 12 lbs for \$1.00; large size, 9 lbs for \$1.00; extra mammoth, 2 lbs for 35c

Choice HOME DRIED APPLES, 1b 10c

Choice EVAPORATED APPLES, 1b 10c

Any of the following CANNED GOODS, 2 cans for 15c; 12 cans for 85c; 24 cans for \$1.65.
2 lbs extra standard Sugar Corn.
2 lbs Van Camp's Kidney Beans.
2 lbs Green String Beans.
2 lbs choice Tomatoes.
3-lb cans best Pumpkin.
3-lb can best Kraut.
3-lb can Hominy.

Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 7 lbs for 25c

Gallon jugs new TOMATO CATSUP for 75c

Dromedary brand DATES, 15c pkgs for 11c

SUGARED DATES, walnut stuffed, per lb 20c

Extra mammoth CELERY, 2 for 25c

JUMBO CELERY 10c

3 pkgs SEEDLESS RAISINS 25c

3 pkgs SEEDED RAISINS 25c

3 pkgs RECLEANED CURRANTS 25c

Fancy SUGAR CURED BACON, 1b 17c

Choice SMOKED BACON, per lb 15c

Good CAROLINA RICE, 5 lbs for 25c

Extra fancy HEAD RICE, 4 lbs for 25c

32-oz jar TOP MINCE MEAT 25c

17-oz jar TOP MINCE MEAT 15c

Gallon cans SOLID PACKED BLACK-BERRIES 50c

Medium sized VALENCIA ORANGES, doz 40c

quart cans TOP SYRUP 18c

Half gallons TOP SYRUP 35c

1 gallon TOP SYRUP 65c

2 1/2-lb cans PURE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES 15c

Half gallon cans PURE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES 35c

2 1/2-lb cans GLUCOSE 15c

PURE CANE SUGAR (Eagle brand) 100-lb sacks \$6.75

15 lbs FINE GRANULATED SUGAR for \$1.00

Best SUGAR CURED HAM, 1b 15c

3 quarts extra good CRANBERRIES for 35c

3,000 lbs SOLID CABBAGE, 1b 2c

50 lbs or more, per lb 1 1/4c

Our Star brand ROAST COFFEE, 1-lb blue pkgs at 25c, and Royal Crown

1-lb carton ROAST COFFEE for 30c are more than full value.

THE TOWNSEND CO.

THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

To Vote on Local Option.

Andrew county will vote on local option on December 12, the county court having set that date for balloting on the question of putting Andrew county in the "dry" column. At the local option election held August 8, 1907, the county went "wet" by a vote of 1,292 for and 1,351 against local option. There is not, however, a saloon in the county.

BUY Athena Knit Underwear this season—get acquainted with its perfect fit—its daintiness—its wearing qualities—the splendid way it retains its shape and original beauty after washing—then you will wear it always.

ATHENA UNDERWEAR

for Women and Children

is the latest and best expression of true underwear comfort. Its perfect shaping brings it snug to the figure without wrinkling under the corset. The extra elasticity of the fabric prevents its becoming thick, coarse and bulky in laundering. The yarns are chosen with special reference to wearing qualities. Altogether no other underwear will suit your personal requirements quite so well. In union suits and separate garments at the price you usually pay.

For the Children

Athena insures a perfect fit the first time you buy it. It is long wearing.

D. R. EVERSOLE
& SON

UNDER A PICTURE HAT

As sung in the big musical production

"IN AFRICA"

with ADAMS & YORKE

Words by E. RAY GOETZ

Music by MELVILLE J. GIDEON

Moderato.

1. When a fel-low courts a maid-en now-a-days..... You will
2. No one's pry-ing eyes can watch you sit and spoon..... And your

find he's up to date, When his love he would re-late, And as on her love-ly charms he'll fond-ly gaze,..... Un-like
lip they can-not see, So for kiss-ing you are free, With-out be-ing heard you soft-ly sing a tune,..... With two

sweet-hearts used to do, he'll tell his love in dif-fring ways, He won't sing a-bout a coz-y cor-ner where he'd like to spoon, Or
fond hearts keeping time, as tales of love you soft-ly croon, It..... might be ve-ry shock-ing if a hat could on-ly speak, And

rave a-bout the stars a-bove, or ell-vry shin-ing moon, He'll not speak a-bout a birch ca-noe, Where
tell of all the fun-ny things that hap-pen un-der-neath, And.... I know if it was that way, With

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there is on-ly room for two, Since the lat-est fash-ions have brought some-thing new.....
her you would-n't get so gay, So..... its the place for spoon-ing lov-ers say.....

CHORUS.

Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... With your girl that's the place to spoon,..... You won't be a-fraid, for

there, in the shade, You can hide from the sun or the moon,..... An-y place, or an-y

time,..... No mat-ter where you're at,..... 'Neath the gar-dens a-bove, You can tell your tales of love,

Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... Un-der a pict-ure hat,..... hat.....

Under a Picture Hat. No. 222.

Visited His Parents.

Martin Roots, Jr., a well known traveling salesman out of St. Joseph, visited over Friday night and Saturday in Maryville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roots, Sr. Mr. Roots, Sr., has been ill for several days.

Hosmer's mid-month stock sale at Gray's pavilion Saturday, Nov. 18th.

Went to Savannah.

George B. Baker, Will Sawyers, A. M. Howard, F. P. Reuillard, Arch Frank, Conrad Sweitzer and W. A. Blagg went to Savannah Monday morning on court business.

Mrs. John Stundon and son, John Joseph, spent Sunday at their former home, near Arkoe.

PROPOSITION IS TWO-SIDED

City Girl and Country Lad View the Farm Life From Different Angles.

"I have often wondered, Mr. Clover-top, if the people living on these dear old farms amid scenes of such peaceful and quiet rural beauty, have as keen an appreciation of the wondrous beauty of field and hill and meadow and sky as we dwellers in the city have when we catch our all too fleeting glimpses of them when we face hitherward for our brief midsummer holiday," said Miss Annabelle Gushington to Adoniram Clover-top when he was taking her from the station out to his farm.

Then she added:
"O, I am quite sure that you must be sensible of all the charm and beauty of your quiet, happy, peaceful environment. Are you not, Mr. Clover-top?"

"Wa-al, it's this-away," said Mr. Clover-top—"when a feller has pulled out o' bed at three-thirty in the mornin' an' has milked nine keows in muskeeter an' fly time an' the keow critters has basted ye with their tails fer a couple o' hours an' mebbe kicked ye over a few times an' then ye have to give a drove o' screechin' hawks their feed an' a hundred ole hens is chasin' ye all over the barnyard cluckin' fer their breakfast an' a calf or two drags ye all over the barnyard while ye alr tryin' to git them away from their mothers' an' the thermometer shoots up to a hundred in the shade an' ye have to dig weeds or bug taters all day or git in hay or chase ten or a dozen miles after some keow critter that has got out o' the paster, an' then ye have all that milkin' to do over again at night an' ye finish up yer chores by lantern light the longest day in the year, when all that happens, ma'am, ye ain't in no condition to git sentimental over 'lights an' shadders' an' 'peaceful scenes' an' sich like. That's two sides to ev'ry proposition an' I reckon my side o' this beauty bizness ain't the same as yours. 'Glowin' sunsets' and 'rosy morns' don't appear the same to me as to you!"—Judge.

Judicial Advice.

"I hope you won't be hard on me, Judge," he said, "You see, I was under the influence of liquor when I done it."

"You seem to have been under the influence of something equally bad when you studied grammar. During the spare moments that you are going to have, permit yourself to indulge in judicious study of the construction of simple sentences. Here is one to begin with—sixty days."

OSLER RIGHT; YOUTH SUCCEEDS AGE

Gray Hair is First Sign of Age—Harmless Remedy Restores to Natural Color.

Osler isn't the only man who turns down old age. In the business world the "young man" is always the one who picks the plums. It is an age of "new thought," "new talent," etc., and the old man is passed by in the race.

One of the first signs of coming age is the appearance of gray hairs. When you see them, act promptly. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy will correct this sign, which so often deceives people into thinking that age is really upon them. It is a well known fact that Sage and Sulphur will darken the hair. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur combines these old-time remedies with other agents, which remove dandruff and promote the growth of the hair.

The manufacturers of this remedy authorize the druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't look old before your time. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur today, and see what an improvement it will make in the appearance of your hair.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, H. H. McClurg, administrator of the estate of Thomas L. McClurg, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1911.

H. H. MCCLURG, Administrator.

Mergen's cut flower store, the place where you can get the best flowers at reasonable prices. Floral work a specialty. Hanamo phone 64; Bell 153.

Horses, milch cows, stock cattle, stock hogs, brood sows and boars of all breeds at Hosmer's mid-month stock sale.

Mrs. Dale V. Alderman returned to her home in St. Joseph Saturday evening, after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. S. C. Alden, and her husband's parents, Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman.

M. M. Callahan, the big farmer of Arkoe, was in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Adamson of Fort Dodge, Kan., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, the past two weeks, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to spend a few days with her son.

List your stock early for Hosmer's stock sale, Nov. 18th.

Kane's Place

Liquors,
Wines,
Cigars,

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

Waukesha

"Club House"

THE BEER OF QUALITY

Adolph Lippman

DISTRIBUTOR

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

Anchor

Yourself to Bank ACCOUNT

A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL SURPLUS \$100,000.00 \$22,000.00

PROSECUTION OF PACKERS BEGINS

Criminal Action Commenced Against Individuals.

FIVE ST. JOSEPH MEN TO TESTIFY

To Produce Books and Records Showing Shipments Handled by Their Railroads—Penalty May be Jail and Fine.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—After more than nine years of investigation by the government the first criminal prosecution of individual meat packers under the Sherman anti-trust act begins here before Judge George A. Carpenter in the United States district court. Ten Chicago packers, heads of the packing industry, are on trial charged with monopolizing and restraining interstate trade in fresh meats. The penalty which may be inflicted if they be found guilty is a fine of \$5,000 or a sentence of one year in the county jail, or both.

The defendants are: Lewis F. Swift, president; Edward F. Swift, vice president; and Charles H. Swift, director of Swift & Co.; Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company; J. Ogden Armour, president and Arthur Meeker, general manager for Armour & Co. Edward Morris, president of Morris & Co.; Francis A. Fowler, director of Swift & Co.; Thomas J. Connors, superintendent of Armour & Co. Louis H. Heyman, manager for Morris & Co.

A special panel of 150 men have been summoned from which to select the jury. Hundreds of witnesses have been called by both sides. It is expected that the trial will proceed for several months.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Subpoenas have been served on five local railroad representatives ordering them to appear in Chicago and to produce the books and records of their respective lines in the case wherein ten Chicago packers are on trial for alleged violations of the anti-trust law.

Those on whom the summons have been served are C. R. Berry, assistant to the vice president of the Chicago, Great Western railway; R. M. Bacheller, division freight agent of the Santa Fe railway; A. L. West, assistant general freight agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway; S. E. Stohr, general freight agent of the St. Joseph & Grand Island railway, and M. B. Irwin, live stock agent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway.

The men say they are to testify as to the shipments of dressed beef and provisions handled by their lines for the St. Joseph packing houses. Eight Omaha railroad men were also served with subpoenas.

LABOR OBJECTS TO NEW SYSTEM

"Scientific Shop Management" Experiment in War Department Leads to Controversy.

Washington, Nov. 13.—By his recent declaration in favor of a system of "scientific shop management," as applied experimentally in the arsenals of the war department Secretary Stimson has fired the opening gun of one of the most bitter controversies in which the government was ever involved, according to the predictions of many well informed observers of public affairs in Washington.

While Secretary Stimson has not gone so far as to state that he is wholly satisfied with the system, nor announced an intention to apply it in full to all the army arsenals, he has made it clear that he is a believer in the system. Already challenges upon the part of labor organizations and promises of spirited combat have been made public in answer to the war department.

The system has been tried out in the arsenals at Watertown, Mass. Secretary Stimson himself makes the careful reservation that the scheme is still wholly in the experimental stage. The war department intends, however, to continue experiments, on a more extensive scale than heretofore, unless interfered with by congressional action.

Phthisis Exhibit Out Again.

Topeka, Nov. 13.—The state Tuberculosis Exhibit starts on its third annual tour at Eudora. The state board of health has collected the exhibit, which has been shown in all the largest towns of the state in the last two years. The small towns are to be visited this winter and stops of only one and two days will be made. Dr. L. Haughey of Topeka will be the lecturer and J. K. Wylie will be his assistant.

Missouri Girls in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 13.—Miss Caroline Elizabeth Jesse of Columbia, daughter of Dr. R. H. Jesse, formerly president of the University of Missouri, has arrived here and intends to remain at least a year. She has planned a busy winter, for, in addition to studying piano with Monsieur Phillip, a professor in the Paris Conservatory, she expects to take work at the Sorbonne.

TORNADOES AND HAIL STORMS

Cause Deaths and Destruction in Many States.

MUCH GLASS BROKEN AT TIPTON

Courthouse Dome at Sedalia Badly Damaged—Mercury Drops 40 Degrees in Ten Minutes—Cloud burst at Joplin.

Thirteen known deaths, several million dollars' property loss and much suffering and inconvenience resulted from the violent change of temperature, the preceding storms and the succeeding cold and snow that beset the central part of the country during the past two days.

Resume of deaths, injuries and damage: Janesville, Wis., and vicinity: Eight persons dead, two dying, a dozen injured and \$1,000,000 damage by tornado.

Chicago: Two men frozen to death, seven fishermen missing on Lake Michigan, many persons hurt on icy pavements, shipping damaged.

Central Illinois—Three or more persons dead and many injured in storms at Easton, Virginia, Peoria and other places.

Iowa—One man frozen at Ottumwa; much suffering from cold.

North Dakota—One man frozen at Grand Forks.

Omaha—One man dead in cold.

Indiana—Whole state swept by blizzard; \$1,000,000 damage by wind.

Ohio—Much damage and suffering caused by wind and snow.

Michigan—Storm damage at several places by wind and sleet.

Kentucky—Widespread damage by wind; unusually cold.

Gulf Coast—Unusually severe weather; much suffering.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 13.—A tornado swept across the city at 4 o'clock wrecking buildings, tearing up trees by the roots, demolishing telephone service and injuring a number of persons. No one was dangerously injured, but for a time it was thought that occupants of buildings which collapsed had been killed.

The storm came as the climax of a day of unusual warmth. For 24 hours the wind had been blowing at a 30-mile rate from the south, and it seemed to grow constantly more severe. Suddenly the gale from the south encountered one of equal fierceness from the north, a chill blast which caused the temperature to drop 40 degrees in ten minutes. The two winds appeared to meet directly over the city, and in a moment there was a crashing of timbers, as frame structures were twisted into fragments. Wires went down all over the city and their tangled lengths lay in heaps about the streets. Trees were uprooted and covered sidewalks and streets. It was almost impossible for a time to drive through portions of the city because of the debris with which the streets were filled.

Tipton, Mo., Nov. 13.—A terrific storm broke over this section at 3 o'clock. The rain came down in torrents and was followed by the most severe hailstorm witnessed here for 40 years. Hail as large as walnuts driven by a wind amounting almost to a hurricane broke almost every pane of glass in the west side of residences and business buildings in the city. The wind unroofed some buildings and other damage was done. The mercury stood at 80 when the storm came and in two hours had fallen to 28 with a high west wind prevailing. The amount of hail that fell was so great that at dark the ground was still white.

Sedalia, Mo., Nov. 13.—A cold wave struck this city at 1:45, causing a drop of 40 degrees in less than two hours. A high wind preceded the storm, tearing off a portion of the Pettis county courthouse dome and breaking plate glass in business houses and shattering windows.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 13.—A cloudburst followed by a driving hailstorm brought the temperature here down 42 degrees in two hours and ten minutes.

ASKED REFORM SCHOOL TERM

St. Joseph Youth Feared He Would Steal Again and Suggested His Own Punishment.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Asa Heitman, 11 years old, begged Judge Thomas P. Ryan in the juvenile court here to sentence him to the state reform school at Booneville. The boy had stolen a bicycle and the court was about to send him home, when he said:

"There's no use of sending me back to mother; for we will have to do this all over. I want a bicycle and I haven't the money to buy it with; so I know I'll steal one the first chance I get. You might as well send me to the reform school. I want to learn a trade, anyway."

Judge Ryan sent the boy to the detention home temporarily.

IN ONE CHURCH FIFTY YEARS

MISSOURI PASTOR CELEBRATES HALF CENTURY OF SERVICE.

Rev. Cowan Came to Old Auxvasse Church When a Young Man—Has Preached there 2,000 Times.

Fulton, Mo., Nov. 13.—Fifty years the pastor of one church. That is the record of the Rev. Dr. John Fleming Cowan. The people of the Williamsburg and McCredie neighborhoods, in northeast Callaway county, have entered upon a two days' celebration in his honor.

For half a century Dr. Cowan has served the Old Auxvasse Presbyterian church as pastor.

Dr. Cowan came to the Old Auxvasse church as a young man of 24. The country was rent with strife and the lines were sharply drawn. He was a man of Southern beliefs and his people were of the same mind. He fitted into the post and he has fitted there ever since.

Dr. Cowan has been satisfied to labor among these industrious, honest and worthy people. His congregation has been satisfied to listen to the plain, yet convincing sermons of the man who has served them from early youth until the declining years of his life.

He has preached to the congregation of the Old Auxvasse church 2,000 times. In other churches during revival meetings and occasional visits he has preached 1,200 times. He has conducted 50 revival meetings in various churches.

To the Auxvasse church during the 50 years of his pastorate 535 members have been added, 200 children have been baptized and 240 couples have been married. One hundred and thirty-seven members of the congregation have died during that period and Dr. Cowan has conducted their funerals. Of this number 65 were men and 72 women.

A number of years ago the church divided into three parts. One church was organized in the town of Auxvasse and one at Nine Mile Prairie, the Rev. Mr. Cowan continuing only as pastor of the original church.

For this event they are one again and the three congregations united to make the celebration a fitting tribute to the aged pastor.

ASK CONGRESS TO PROTECT LAKE

St. Joseph Summer Resort in Danger From River, But Town Raises No Funds.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 13.—Representatives Thomas Gallagher of Chicago and Charles F. Booher of Savannah, Mo., both members of the rivers and harbors committee, spent a day in an examination of the banks of the Missouri river in the vicinity of St. Joseph. The current has been cutting into the east banks of the river just south of St. Joseph, until there is only a narrow neck of land left between the river and Lake Contrary, the city's popular summer resort.

At its last regular session congress appropriated \$75,000 for use in protecting the banks near the stock yards and the lake, contingent upon the raising of a like amount by local interests for the improvement. No funds were raised here and the congressional appropriation has not been available.

Gallagher and Booher agreed that the river banks should be protected and said they would ask the necessary appropriation at the forthcoming session.

BLOODHOUNDS WERE POISONED

Richmond, Missouri, Syndicate Had Bought Thoroughbreds to Trace Barn Burners.

Richmond, Mo., Nov. 13.—Two bloodhounds, bought in Nebraska a few days ago for \$500, have been poisoned already. A syndicate purchased the hounds and they were left in charge of Ed Roen, a dog fancier. Early in the morning someone was heard prowling around Roen's house and when he went to investigate a little later one of the dogs was dead and the other died shortly afterward.

One of the hounds was used in trailing Hex Rasco, convicted at Maryville, Mo., for the murder of the four members of the Hibbell family. There have been several cases of barn burning in this county and the hounds were bought to trail the incendiaries.

Lumber Case December 1.

Jefferson City, Nov. 13.—The taking of testimony in the lumber ouster proceedings will be resumed in Jefferson City December 1. John M. Atkinson, assistant attorney general, says that the state's testimony is all taken and the December hearing will be devoted to the introduction of evidence by the lumber companies. Attorney General Major and Mr. Atkinson believe the state already has won its case.

Beet Mill Starts Work.

Garden City, Kan., Nov. 13.—The \$1,250,000 beet sugar mill begins operations with 5,000 tons of beets in the dumps. The storm will prevent further pulling and handling of beets for some days, but the management doesn't believe it will be for long and will work on what supply it has at the mill.

FELL IN SIGHT OF HIS GOAL

Last Leg of Cross Country Flight Disastrous for Rodgers.

INJURIES SEVERE BUT NOT FATAL

Control Wire Snapped When Less Than Twenty-three Miles From Ocean—Machine Completely Wrecked.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 13.—In an attempted flight from Pasadena to Long Beach, officially to end his Atlantic-Pacific journey, Calbraith P. Rodgers, the aviator, fell with his machine 125 feet into a plowed field. At the time of the accident Rodgers was half way between the two cities and within sight of his destination.

Although no bones were broken, Rodgers was rendered unconscious. He was badly shaken up, his face was scratched and torn, his hands were burned by his motor and he complains of a severe pain in his side. His machine was completely wrecked.

Rodgers left Tournament Park at Pasadena at 3:34, expecting to fly the 23 miles to the beach in as many minutes. He became confused after taking the air and after circling aimlessly for half an hour came down at Covina Junction, a mile further from Long Beach than the point from which he started. He took the air again after getting his bearings and was following the tracks of the Pacific Electric railway when the accident occurred.

Rodgers was still unconscious when Mrs. Rodgers and his mother, who had been waiting his arrival at Long Beach, reached him. After an examination his physicians announced that he would suffer no permanent injury.

While the cause of the accident will not be known until Rodgers recovers sufficiently to explain it, it is believed that a control wire snapped, inverting the rudder of his machine and heading its nose downward at a sharp angle.

TWICE IN SUPREME COURT

LARABEE MILLS CASE NOW INVOLVES OVER \$40,000.

Suit Began Four Years Ago Over Demurrage Charges of \$99 Continues to Increase in Amount.

Topeka, Nov. 13.—The supreme court of the United States is going to get another chance at the Larabee Mills case against the Missouri Pacific railroad company, a suit which grew from \$89 to more than \$40,000. The Kansas supreme court has denied a rehearing to the Missouri Pacific.

This will make the second time the case has been in the supreme court of the United States. It began four years ago when the Larabee Mills company refused to pay a claim of \$89 demurrage charges on account of holding cars at the mills. When the millers refused to pay, the railroad stopped switching cars to the mill, and the Larabees brought suit in the Kansas supreme court to compel the switching of the cars. The Kansas supreme court ordered the railroad company to do the switching and the railroad took the case to the supreme court of the United States. The decision of the Kansas court was affirmed.

Then came up the question of damages to the mill company and the payment of the attorneys. The attorneys put in claims aggregating \$49,000, and the mill company had claims for damages of the same amount. The Missouri Pacific did not switch any cars to the mill for seven months and the actual and exemplary damages for handling wheat and flour to the mill is listed at this amount. The attorneys were given \$10,000 and the mill company \$30,000 damages. In addition to this there are the costs in the court and the railroad's attorneys. The supreme court has just denied a rehearing on the attorney fees and the damages, and the Missouri Pacific has announced that it will take this to the supreme court of the United States to try to get a reduction in fees and damages allowed.

STRONG LANGUAGE IN A REPORT

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 13.—That the McNamara brothers are the innocent objects of the "diabolical revenge" of eGn. Harrison Gray Otis is the assertion made by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in his annual report which was submitted at the meeting of the federation here today. Mr. Gompers discussed the Los Angeles dynamiting case at considerable length and did not spare strong language in denouncing the actions of those who are seeking to convict the McNamaras of guilt in connection with the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building.

The report of Secretary Morrison shows that the membership for 1911 is at its highest point—1,756,735—and that there was a balance in the treasury on September 30 of \$189,579.

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Good clover hay for sale. One ton or forty. See John Hansen. 11-14

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FOR SALE—Five acres, good house 2 good wells, barn, some fruit and berries. Inside city limits, near Halasey and Depot streets. Will sell cheap if taken soon. See Mrs. Mary M. Weisenberger. 11-25

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I will continue in my optical work until January 1st. Call and see me if you desire my services. Dr. Gertrude DuVal, 114½ South Main. 10-13

Parties wanting their quilts quilted the New Way must bring them in before December 10th. Business closes January 1st if not sold. 114½ South Main. 10-13

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